

Unfortunately for newspapers investigating committees had not reached present efficiency in the days of Lincoln or we might be reading of assassination probes yet

Tonight, increasing cloudiness; Saturday unsettled, showers, warmer.

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SUPREME COURT REFUSES BOLEN CASE

DAUGHERTY SENT CHEERY MESSAGE TO HELP McLEAN

Decoded Message Reveals Publisher is Encouraged By Attorney General TOLD NOT TO WORRY

Claims "Principal" Referred Is Senator Willis and Not Coolidge

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 7.—The oil committee was told today that Attorney General Daugherty sent a reassuring message to Edward B. McLean in Florida on the day the publisher was summoned here to testify in the oil inquiry.

Ira E. Bennett, editorial writer on McLean's Washington Post, testified that such a message was conveyed to McLean after a conference with the attorney general.

The message as placed before the committee included such phrases as "all that is possible to be done will be done by us" and "you know what to depend on."

Bennett declared similar assurances had been conveyed through him to McLean on January 9 in the famous "principal" message.

"Principal" referred to in that message, witness said, "was not President Coolidge, as some Democratic senators suggested, but Senator Curtis."

He testified that Curtis had told him the publisher should not be disturbed and that it would be "all right."

Telegrams Are Decoded. As partially decoded and placed on the committee records the message that Bennett said the attorney general had him send to McLean follows:

"I am at Y's elbow. All that is possible to be done will be done by us so you should worry. Delay selection of prosecutors.

"Give Evelyn (Mrs. McLean) my love. I do not want Evelyn to be disturbed as long as I am on the job. The fight is on and I am ready for them and full of fight."

The "principal" telegram of January 29 by which Bennett said he meant to convey assurance from Senator Curtis said:

"Saw principal, delivered message. It was greatly appreciated, sends regards to you and Mrs. McLean. There will be no rocking of the boat and no resignations. He expects reaction from political attacks."

At a conference that morning Bennett said Senator Curtis told him to tell McLean that he need not worry as he had done nothing wrong except stand by Albert B. Fall.

BYFIELD DAMAGE SUIT TAKES TURN

Byfield Testifies Candler Gave Him Check for \$25,000 On Board Steamer

EX-CROWN PRINCE OF GERMANY IN MIDST OF FAMILY



Most recent photo of the former Crown Prince of Germany and his family, taken at Oels. Left to right (at top), Prince Hubert, Prince Louis Ferdinand, the former Crown Prince, Prince Wilhelm; (below), Prince Frederick, Princess Alexandrine, Princess Cecile and the former Crown Princess, Cecile.

While reports are flying about Germany that the former Crown Prince, Prince Wilhelm, is considering entering the lists for election to the presidency of the German republic, adherents of the prince are denying the story, and waiting for definite word from William, who is living in ease at his estate near Oels, Silesia. All of his family are now with him. His adherents preface their denials of his intention to seek the presidency with explanations that for William to thus acknowledge the German Republic would be for him to forever renounce his rights to the dormant throne.

TOURNAMENT NEAR FINAL LAP NOW

Seven Boys Teams and Ten Girls Teams Left In Competition

Seven boys and then ten girls teams left in the field of competition for awards in the annual district and invitation basketball conference which will be concluded in the playing off of the finals Saturday night at the College court.

From an array of contenders from all corners of the East Central district the field of competition had simmered down to a few of the select teams that had withstood the assault of a batter of smaller teams of the district.

Out of the seven boys teams and ten girls teams winners in semi-finals will be picked tomorrow and pitted in the final round of the tournament Saturday night.

At 3 o'clock today the following teams were still undefeated and in the race for the double trophy of the tournament: boys—Ada, Atoka, Stonewall, Allen, Beggs, Preston and Okemah; Girls—Coalgate, Stonewall, Ada, Purcell, McLoud, Sasakawa, Preston, Calvin, Okemah and Ravia.

Out of the forty-nine teams scheduled to start off the play in the tournament only the victorious seventeen teams from the boys and girls division remain to demand the attention of conference officials tomorrow.

In the Ada Hi and Purcell girls game tonight, fans will be permitted to see two of the fastest teams of the tournament in action in addition to four other games scheduled for play tonight.

According to Athletic Director M. Z. Thompson, competition has been to a heat stage in several of the games already played and fans have been permitted to see some of the best high school teams of the state in action.

In two of the games played this morning protests were offered and both teams declared winners in order that the competition could be equally distributed and teams under protest were re-assigned and entered into the tournament play.

According to Director Thompson, the representation at the tournament is general over the district, teams coming here from practically every part of this section of the state. Atoka high school is sending a team to Ada for the first time after having taken part in the Durant tournament heretofore.

MEADOO TO OPPOSE UNDERWOOD IN GEORGIA PRIMARIES

Shrine Committee Visits Nobles in Adjoining County

Continuation of the campaign of the Pontotoc County Shrine club to Coalgate yesterday resulted in the signing of many names on the petition for the designation of the Delphi Temple at Ada.

A committee of Shriners motored to Centrahoma, Tupelo, Coalgate and other Coalgate county stops to pick up the signatures of all in this vicinity.

The Shrine committee reports that everybody is anxious to slap the name on the dotted line and help bring the Temple to Ada.

CHILDREN TO BE REVIVAL GUESTS

Special Childrens Program Tonight at Moore's Revival

There will be a special childrens program tonight at the Nazarene church under the direction of Prof. James E. Campbell, the singer, soloist and childrens worker in the Moore Evangelistic party. It is a wonderful program and will be a great inspiration to those who attend. The Evangelistic Party will have a wonderful service at Convention Hall Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Prof. Campbell and Dr. Moore will speak on the special theme "Hard Nuts for Scapies to Crack." Dr. Moore spoke last night on "The Price of Hell's Half Acre" and several were converted.

The evangelist said: "This is an age of scepticism, speculation and conjecture. This is especially true concerning the doctrine of eternal punishment. The advocates of the new theology are trying to pull the sting out of death, pain out of punishment, inspiration out of revelation, the supernatural out of religion and hell out of Hades."

"But after all the speculation the soul is immortal and will always live somewhere. If the soul is not immortal, then human life is a farce, our moral nature a lie, our desires are deceptive, our aspirations are false, our hopes mendacious, our thrones may totter and crumble into dust; empires and kingdoms may pass away; nature may grow old and palsied and the universe from his fingers and the long night of chaos set in; yet the soul with individual and conscious immortality will stand amid the whirl of cycles and the roll of the ages upon the rock of its own imperishable existence and defy eternity to annihilate it. Death may separate soul and body, it may unfasten the chord that binds the two together, the eyes may flash their last scintillations of intelligence and their fires expire, but the soul will live on somewhere. Then where will you spend eternity?"

Falls to Death. (By the Associated Press) NEW YORK, March 7.—Dr. Carlos de Monde, composer and orchestra leader from San Francisco, jumped or fell to his death from the roof of a 15 story building at West End avenue today.

DENY RUMORS OF OFFICIAL DEFRAUD

Maryland and Kentucky Solon Maintain no Fraud In Their Duties

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 7.—Representative Langley, Republican, Kentucky, on the floor of house denuded an investigation today of published charges that he had received money for exerting official influence.

In a five minute speech Mr. Langley emphatically denied that he had been guilty of wrong doing. He was cheered by the house when he concluded his appeal for "a square deal."

"In the presence of Almighty God and these witnesses," the Kentucky representative shouted, "I have committed no crime, have done no wrong and confidently rely on speedy vindication at the hands of my colleagues."

"I come from the Kentucky mountain district where people value honor more than human life," he said. "Naturally I shall ask an inquiry, if the report from the department of justice contains my name."

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Representatives Langley and Kentucky republicans, denied today they ever had improperly exercised their official influence and received money for doing so.

Their denials followed the publication of their names in connection with the recent report of the Chicago grand jury that two members of congress was misusing their offices.

Both representatives said they had heard rumors that they were implicated and had discussed the matter with newspaper men but they declared they had received no official information that they were involved in the case. They were emphatic in asserting they would prove their innocence beyond any doubt if charges were preferred against them.

Representative Langley is chairman of the house public buildings committee and representative of the Tenth Kentucky district. His home is at Pikeville. Representative Zihlman is chairman of the labor committee and representative of the Sixth Maryland district. He lives at Cumberland.

NOT ENOUGH MEMBERS PRESENT TO TAKE ACTION

(By the Associated Press) OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—The joint house and senate committee which was to have met today to set a date for sine die adjournment of the special session of the state legislature, failed to obtain a quorum and the meeting was postponed until Monday.

DAUGHERTY QUIET ON DEMANDS FOR HIS RESIGNATION

Attorney General Refuses to Shed New Light on Washington Scene

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA

Daugherty Hastens to Cabinet Meeting; Claims no Mention Of Resignation

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 7.—Attorney General Daugherty would make no statement upon his arrival today from Florida. He went directly from the station to the cabinet meeting.

"I am feeling better than I have for five years," said the attorney general, "although I notice in the papers that I am reported to be a very sick man."

The attorney general's return to Washington brought him personally into the midst of the new crisis in his cabinet status.

The suddenness of his return from Miami where his wife is ill has not been explained, but it is noted that his return coincides with the time of the weekly cabinet meeting.

He came back to a situation even more tense than it had been just before he rushed from the White House a little more than a week ago to catch his train for Chicago en route to Miami after apparently convincing President Coolidge that he should be permitted to retain his post until after the senate investigation of his administration.

The president today was in a position to fill his place on short notice. The eligibles are former Senator Kenyon of Iowa, federal circuit judge, Chief Justice Wilber of California, Federal District Judge Dietrich of Idaho. In addition Governor Grosbeck of Michigan also has been mentioned for the post. He conferred with the president yesterday and had another engagement with him today.

The attorney general was met at the station by two secret service agents of the department of justice, who accompanied him as he drove away from the station.

Mr. Daugherty arrived at the White House just in time for the 10:30 o'clock cabinet meeting. He declined to be stopped by questioners as he hurried through the lobby of the executive offices to the cabinet room where some of his colleagues already were waiting. The meeting was completed in a little more than half an hour. The first members who left said the question of Mr. Daugherty's retirement had not been discussed. When Mr. Daugherty emerged later he said he could hardly answer the question as to whether the situation in Washington as it affected him had changed since his departure for Florida.

DEATH OF MORAN IN FLORIDA IS EXPECTED

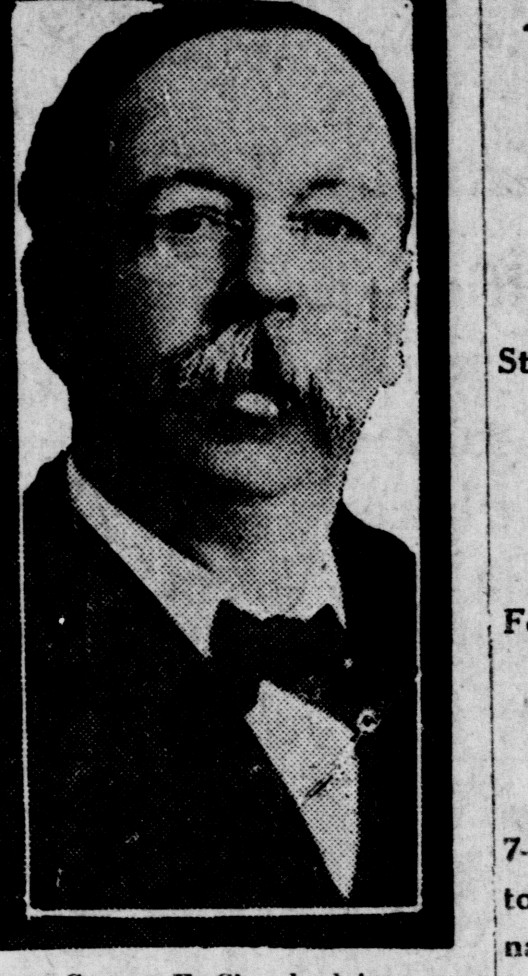
(By the Associated Press) ORLANDO, Fla., March 7.—The death of Patrick R. Moran, manager of the Cincinnati Reds is expected momentarily, according to an announcement issued at 11 o'clock today by Dr. G. H. Edwards, attending physician, after a consultation with Dr. Carl Johnson of Pittsburgh, Dr. J. S. McSwan of Orlando and Dr. J. W. Draper, noted specialist from New York.

Moran had lapsed into a state of unconsciousness at the time of the consultation and it is not expected he will regain consciousness. Stimulants are being administered to keep him alive.

"Moran spent a very poor night," Dr. Draper said. "He is being kept alive by use of stimulants and the administration of water under the skin in hope of ridding him of the poison. He has lapsed into an unconscious state and death will likely come at any time."

Attending physicians issued a statement after the consultation to the effect that Moran would live from two to six hours.

Daugherty Aid



George E. Chamberlain, former senator from Oregon, retained by Harry Daugherty, attorney-general of the United States, as personal counsel, is representing Daugherty's interests in connection with the probe of the affairs of the attorney-general being considered by the senate. Acting with him is Paul Howland, Cleveland attorney.

MANY CLAIM PART IN CITY POLITICS

Final Day of Filing Gets Many Contender for City Offices

The Old Dobbins of city politics and the new colts, who will try their legs in the first political sweepstakes, stretched out for the open spaces today at the close of the period for filing for city offices.

The race track of city politics will be wedged to the grandstand when voters of the city go to the polls on March 18 to cast their bets on the winners in the race for final representation in the heated city race for office.

The last hours of the final day for filing saw many new names on the register for the voters to confront when reading the official ballot on March 18. Last minute entries swelled the list until all offices left open for contention had two or more contestants in the race.

The political fever accompanying the approaching election is without the stomp speaking in interest of grass root support since the race for county offices will not be opened until an early date in May, according to Secretary McKeel.

While the three principal races of the coming political sweepstakes lies with the mayor, finance commissioner and public works commissioner, especially is the interest keen in the mad scramble for favor in the race for commissioner of public works and property under which column, six candidates have pledged themselves in harness and signed their willingness to pace the length of the track that will carry them to the final goal.

Among the candidates for this office as well as the other major offices of the coming primaries are candidates who claim support from every possible organization in Ada and other remain more conservatively and claim no especial prestige for their candidacy.

The first lap of the race which is now throttling down to a mad heat started several weeks ago with the filing of the first candidate for city office. The entrants have been many since that time and the close of the filing period today finds more interest in city politics than shown in a number of years.

According to the official files of Secretary Sam A. McKeel, the following have filed in order for city offices:

Mayor—W. H. Fisher, D. W. Swaffar and S. M. Jones. Commissioner of Public Works—Henry Kroth, J. D. Bennett, Walter S. Smith, O. F. Davidson, George W. Young and G. E. Branscome. Commissioner of Accounting and Finance—Charles Deaver and Clint Miers. Board of Education—Ward 2—Robert H. Bradley, Robert F. Wilborn and Gus Cunningham. Ward 3—L. Warr and J. M. Thompson. Outlying districts—William Whitaker and W. S. Kerr. Treasurer of Board—Bally M. Bobbitt and Leonard H. Braly.

In the summer the descendants of a single fly will number 2,080,320.

HIGH COURT NOT TO HEAR CHARGE AGAINST BOLEN

State Supreme Court Refuses Jurisdiction in Bolen Ouster Case

BARRY INFORMS COURT

Former Governor Robertson Defends Bolen Before State High Court

(By the Associated Press) OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—The state supreme court today declined to assume original jurisdiction in the ouster action against Judge J. W. Bolen of Ada.

The decision was announced by Chief Justice Johnson shortly after the conclusion of the hearing of the petition by the attorney general to file original action asking Bolen's removal.

John Barry, assistant attorney general acting for the attorney general's office and in obedience to a resolution by the lower house of the state legislature, told the court it would be impossible to obtain a fair hearing in Pontotoc county on charges of being addicted to use of intoxicants and on being incompetent; that Bolen had made his campaign slogan one to the effect that no mortgages would be foreclosed during his term, thereby winning a following that makes it "impossible for the state to receive a fair and impartial trial," Barry said.

Former Governor J. B. A. Robertson, counsel for Bolen, attacked the validity of the so-called attorney general act of the Oklahoma statutes and also the house resolution authorizing the attorney general to proceed against Bolen.

Robertson claimed there was no grounds for a change of venue from Pontotoc county. He charged the prosecution with trying to "get rid of Bolen 'lawfully or unlawfully'" and contended that should the supreme court take jurisdiction in the it would establish "a most dangerous precedent."

"If an ignorant and incompetent legislature can dictate to the judicial branch of the government what is to prevent it from dictating to the executive and all branches of the government even to the most menial official?" Robertson asked.

"Are you going to make him prove his innocence? That is what he would have to do if the attorney general is sustained."

Robertson in summing up the argument declared there is no basis for action against Bolen.

THORN CONTINUES REVIVAL SUCCESS

Largest Crowd of Services Hear Evangelist in Last Night Sermon

The largest crowd since Sunday was present at the revival meeting in progress at the First Baptist church last night. Mr. Harris led the choir in singing many of the good gospel hymns. A quartet composed of Mr. Harris, J. C. Treadwell, J. L. Huber, and Jim Chapman, rendered a number that was greatly enjoyed by the congregation.

The evangelist brought one of his greatest messages on the subject, "Sowing and Reaping." He took for his text the passage which reads, "Be not deceived, God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." It was a message which mightily stirred the congregation.

The service this morning was well attended at which time the preacher spoke on the subject, "Launching out in the deep." The largest crowds are attending the morning services that ever have attended a revival meeting in the church. The preacher is certainly bringing some great messages and it is confidently believed that we are going to have a great meeting.

Sunday morning the evangelist will speak to the Men's Bible Class at the McSwain theatre at 10:15 and will preach at the church at 11 o'clock and at 7:30.

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Baptist to Hold Vacation School

(By the Associated Press)
ARDMORE.—Plans are being made by the members of the Broadway Baptist church for conducting a Vacation School. It was announced yesterday by Rev. R. L. Davidson, pastor of the church.

Instruction in Bible story teaching will be the outstanding purpose of the school. Additional subjects scheduled to be featured are: Basket weaving, mothercraft and a charm class. Many other interesting classes will be added. It is understood.

The school will be opened about the middle of June and will continue one month.

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Rev. J. E. L. Moore, A. M., D. D.,
Graduate of Asbury College and
Boston University. Ex-President
of Olivet University. Successful
evangelist and soul winner. Noted
preacher and Bible Expositor.

Hear These Men Sunday at Convention Hall

Promptly at 3 o'clock

Rev. J. E. L. Moore, A. M., D. D., ex-president of Olivet
University, speaks at Convention Hall Sunday at 3 p. m.
Subject:

"HARD NUTS FOR SKEPTICS TO CRACK"

Men, Women, boys and girls cordially invited.

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAM

You will enjoy the singing of Professor and Mrs. J. E.
Campbell.

These men are now conducting a revival at the Nazarene
church.

Business Announcement

I am back in Ada to stay, and have
purchased Mr. Oliver's interest in the filling
station and tire shop on North Broadway.
From now on the firm will be known as
Nettles & Nettles. I want to see all my old
friends and new ones as well.

LEE NETTLES

TO TOUR WHEAT BELT FOR PASSAGE OF BILL

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 7.—C. H. Hyde, Alva, vice-president of the Farmers Union and W. H. Greevy, Wichita, Kans., secretary-treasurer of the American Wheat Growers association, will tour the wheat belt of northwest Oklahoma, beginning March 8, speaking in the interests of the McNary-Haughen farm relief bill, according to Mr. Hyde.

McNary-Haughen bill creates a government export corporation to buy wheat, corn, cattle, hogs and their finished products at a price based on the monetary exchange value of 1905-1914, Mr. Hyde explained.

Hyde and McGreevy will open their speaking campaign at Medford, March 8, after which they will speak at the following places: Alva, March 10; Cherokee, March 11; Fairview, March 12; Blackwell, March 13.

It is not the market price of farm products that means a profit or loss to the farmer, Hyde said.

"It is the exchangeable value of farm products as compared with the things the farmer buys that affects his welfare," he declared.

"Before the world war when wheat was selling at 60 and 70 cents a bushel, one bushel of wheat would buy twice as much of other commodities that the farmer needed as it will now."

The enactment of the legislation will mean an increase of \$30,000,000 annually to the wheat, corn and livestock men of Oklahoma, Mr. Hyde estimated.

YEARLY COLLEGE COSTS REACH HIGH FIGURES

(By the Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, March 7.—Increases in tuition, board, room and fees, rather than in the amount spent by students for books, dues, contributions and incidentals, are responsible for the rise in the cost of attending college, according to a survey made by the St. Louis branch of the American Association of University Women.

A study of "catalogue expense" covering the fixed charges as set by the college authorities and of "extra-catalogue expense," which included all other expenses of the school year excepting clothing and railroad fare, was made in 114 colleges and universities.

The average catalogue expense for the institutions studied was \$486.04. The average extra-catalogue expense was \$160.25, which means that the average college woman spends \$646 every school year, according to the report.

The committee made the investigation as an aid to parents, to educational and vocational counselors, to administrators of scholarship and loan funds and to others who need to budget the expense attending a co-ed while she is in school.

ROCKY CHAPEL

Artie Smith is on the sick list this week.

Singing Thursday night was enjoyed by all who were there. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lynn and Horace Lynn of Ada were among the visitors.

The play party at Mr. and Mrs. Edd Chapman's Saturday night was enjoyed by all who attended. We hope they will give another one soon.

Dibrell Ledbetter and Orel Clamplitt of Ada came to singing Thursday night.

Myrtle and Dibrell Ledbetter took dinner with Jewell Chapman Sunday.

Ruth Price and Edith Sparks called on Gladys and Ruby Fussell Sunday.

Ruth Price, Ruby Fussell, Haskell and Cled Price and Horace Lynn attended prayer meeting at Lawrence Sunday evening.

Mrs. Henry Clamplitt spent the week-end with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Wyche spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith.

Gertrude Creech took supper with Gladys Fussell Saturday night.

Lillian and Myrtle Smith and Gertrude Creech spent the week-end with home folks.

Birdie Creech spent Saturday with Opal Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spears and John Spears spent a few hours Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Chapman.

Mrs. Votaw's folks are up from the measles.

Ida and Delphia Smith and Gladys Fussell spent Friday evening with Olin Votaw.

Mrs. Votaw spent Sunday night with Mrs. Conda Smith.

Van and Grant Herrin are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Sylvia Sizemore spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Martin Phillips.

Beryl Phillips was in Ada Saturday.

Birdie and Lillian Matherly spent Saturday with their grandmother.

Bud Creech was in Ada Friday.

Lois Phillips spent Sunday evening with Reba Hollman.

Birdie Creech spent Sunday with her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Henry Creech.—Lonesome.

English Humor Scores in Havana.

(By the Associated Press)
HAVANA.—The "Wybadilly," a stock little vessel built along the lines of a tug, lay in Havana harbor taking on a cargo of liquor.

"What's that name mean?" shouted an inquisitive American from a passing rowboat. "Will you buy a drink if I tell you?" yelled back a grinning member of the crew.

The "Wybadilly" which flies the British flag, pulled out subsequently with some 6,000 cases of liquor and her clearance papers indicated she was bound for West End, a port in the British West Indies.

QUITS CAREER AS PASTOR TO PURSUE FAME ON DIAMOND



John Blake.

John F. Blake started out on a career in the pulpit, but changed his mind and now is on the high road to becoming a master workman in the Chicago vineyard. Scribes at the Chicago National camp at Catalina Island, Calif., are impressed with his work. John doesn't have much to say about his ministerial experiences, but he is certain that the diamond is his intended life work now.

CITY ATTORNEYS TAKE STAND ON TAX LEVY

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Mayor O. A. Carsill announced today that city attorneys from 60 cities in Oklahoma affected by a decision this week by the state supreme court invalidating part of the Oklahoma City tax levy as being in excess of the legal limit, will meet here to discuss means of meeting the situation created by the decision.

The mayor said that means of raising revenue must be devised in order to maintain city governments on an efficient basis.

COUNTY FAMILY INCREASED BY TWO NEW BOARDERS

The county family under the watchful care of jailer was increased by two new occupants this morning. Undersheriff P. H. Deal stated. E. R. Williams of the Washington vicinity was placed in the county bastille on a charge of larceny of a horse. Buster I. Anderson of Stone-wall was arrested and remanded to the county jail on charges of wife desertion and hot checking.

PAID UP INSURANCE IS NEW BONUS PROVISION

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—Paid up insurance was decided upon as a provision of the soldiers bonus bill today by the house ways and means committee. Provisions of the bill passed at the last session and vetoes by President Harding for vocational training and farm or home aid were definitely eliminated but the option for cash payments will stand.

DAVENPORT ARRAIGNED ON DIVERTING FUNDS CHARGE

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Dr. A. E. Davenport, former state health commissioner, pleaded guilty and waived preliminary hearing when arraigned here today before a justice of the peace on five charges of diverting public funds. J. C. Walton, deposed governor, and T. P. Edwards, alleged to have been Walton's chauffeur, will be arraigned late today on similar charges.

Dr. Davenport was released on his old bond of \$5,000.

JAPAN SOON TO ENJOY BROADCASTING BY RADIO

(By the Associated Press)
TOKIO.—Radio broadcasting is to be commenced next month in Japan where hitherto communications have been strictly limited by the government. Like commercial radio, the broadcasting will be under stringent government regulations.

At first the department of communications will undertake the activity on a limited scale from stations in Tokyo and Osaka only. Some months later, it is believed, the first independent station will be established here.

Receiving instruments will not be permitted to be carried about, as is often done in America, though they may be attached permanently to vehicles or boats. During the day hours music and entertainment features will not be permitted in the air. The rule, however, may be relaxed on Sundays and national holidays.

Buy it—rent it—sell it—find it with a NEWS want ad.

To Late to Classify

FOR RENT—5 room modern house, 419 West 17th. W. T. Melton. 3-7-24

AARMES GROTTO-OUT FOR SPREE AT ARDMORE

ARDMORE.—March 17 will be a holiday in Ardmore, so far as Aarmes Grotto is concerned, it was decided at the regular meeting Wednesday evening, which was well attended. A large number of petitions were read and accepted and each prophet was pledged to secure at least one candidate.

F. O. McLean, chairman of the parade committee, stated that a number of merchants and automobile dealers had been called upon and all had signified their willingness to participate by placing a decorated car or float in the big parade.

George Davis, chairman of the stunt committee, reported that his committeemen had worked out some very unique stunts, something new and interesting in the way of street work. George says that it will be different from the hoodlum wagon or the bear cage, but that he could not tell what they were.

The patrol, band and the east, each report everything in readiness and at the same time, Secretary D. K. Medford reports that the country is being scoured in search of candidates.

OKMULGEE MAY BE FEDERAL COURT TOWN

OKMULGEE.—Okmulgee may be named as one of the seats of the new federal district court over which Justice Kenamer will preside, it became known today and members and directors of the Chamber of Commerce were active today seeking to influence the selection of Okmulgee as one of the court towns of the new district. In an interview several days ago with Justice Kenamer, Claude Cain learned that he favored both Okmulgee and Bartlesville as federal court towns.

A bill authorizing the establishing of the new federal district court, assigning the territory in which it will have jurisdiction and naming the cities in which the court will sit, is now pending in congress. The Chamber of Commerce will make all efforts possible to have Okmulgee named as one of the towns in which the new district court will hold court.

CITY TO PURCHASE PARK SITE PROPERTY

ARDMORE.—As soon as the deed to the property recently purchased by the city for a tourist camp has been delivered, work of equipping the park will begin, according to a statement of City Manager W. G. Doak, Wednesday afternoon.

Just what these improvements will consist of has not been planned but the city manager asserted every thing, possible would be done to make the park inviting, and a good advertisement for the city.

There is a good house on the property at present, and this may be remodeled to meet requirements of the park.

Other buildings will be erected, and gas furnaces installed for cooking purposes. These will probably be equipped with individual meters and each camper required to pay for fuel used.

Twenty Names Added To Ardmore Chamber Of Commerce in Drive

ARDMORE.—Twenty new names were added to the membership rolls of the Chamber of Commerce by members of the drive committee who reported last night.

The committee started early today and expect to make a very favorable report by tonight.

The drive will come to an official close tomorrow at noon, when the committee will assemble at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce for luncheon.

No effort will be spared to secure the name of every business man and property owner in the city on the rolls.

It was reported early today that success was attending the work of the committee who are encouraged over the prospect for recruiting the club to adequate strength to carry out the program for a greater and better Ardmore.

Alaska College Has 60 Students.
FAIRBANKS, Alaska.—The Alaska Agricultural college and school of mines, believed to be the farthest north college in the world, has re-elected Charles Ernest Bunnell president. Mr. Bunnell, former federal judge here, founded the institution 16 months ago. It has an enrollment of 69 students.

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Murder Will Out

By MORRIS SCHULTZ

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HENDERSON had resolved to kill Smith some day. He was in no particular hurry about it, because he had planned it all out, and it had become inevitable in his mind that Smith must die.

There were several things between the two men, but the principal one of them was that Henderson hated Smith. The two were farmers, and they had always been enemies.

Henderson was shrewd enough to know that however cleverly he concealed his tracks suspicion would fall on him. But he was willing to be suspected. The law requires proof, and so long as he could fall short of the ultimate of proof he did not care.

He chose a snowy, stormy night for the deed. The two houses were about a mile apart. A road ran past them. There was a multitude of tracks in the road, and it would be easy enough to slip into the house and kill Smith. The falling snow would quickly cover up his footprints.

Henderson took his ax and started. No one was on the road. The wind was almost a hurricane, and it blew furious blasts of sleet into Henderson's face.

But at last he saw the light of Smith's cottage. Smith had lived alone since his daughter had married and moved into town. Quietly Henderson crept to the window and looked in. But Smith was not inside the house. And then Henderson heard the sound of footsteps in the stable.

Smith kept two horses and a cow. Creeping softly to the building which housed all three, Henderson saw the faint outlines of Smith's figure. He was bending down beside the cow, which was uttering low, plaintive calls. No doubt she had taken sick.

Henderson raised his ax and brought it down with a fearful crash upon Smith's back. It sank right in, and he felt the bones sever.

Smith tumbled to the floor of the shed without uttering a sound. Only the cow continued to moo plaintively. Henderson made his way back to the road and house. Arriving, he washed his ax, being careful to remove all fingerprints, and went to bed. That night he slept the sleep of the just.

He was up early next morning. The snow was still falling. There was no doubt that his tracks were completely covered. Everything was safe.

About nine o'clock there came a knock at the door. Henderson opened, to find the sheriff standing there.

"Come in," he said cheerily. "Just finished breakfast. A cup of coffee, sheriff?"

The sheriff declined. "There's been bad business up to Smith's place," he said.

"So?"

"Yeah. Murder," answered the sheriff.

Henderson's start was admirably feigned. "Smith—murdered?" he gasped.

The sheriff did not reply directly. "I was wonderin' if you knew anything about it, Mr. Henderson," he answered.

"Are you accusing me of murdering Smith?" demanded Henderson in a tone of injured innocence.

"Nope—not yet. But there's a party seen some one slinking round the Henderson place with an ax last night. Lemme look at your ax, Mr. Henderson," he went on.

"You'll find it in the woodshed," answered Henderson with an indifferent shrug. "But if you mean to accuse me—"

The sheriff went out without making any reply. Presently he came back.

"This ax has been scoured," he said. "And there's rust on the blade."

"Chopping in the snow," said Henderson, feeling as if a pit opened suddenly beneath him.

The sheriff put his hand on his shoulder. "It's no use, Henderson," he said. "We've got you dead to rights, so you'd better come through. You're under arrest for killing—"

"I swear I didn't," Henderson began to babble. "It's a lie, sheriff, and no man can prove it."

"For killing Smith's new-born calf," continued the sheriff. "And Smith's the evidence. He was watching you in the stable."

Beauty and Car Seats.

"There are many pretty girls in this country," remarked Bluebell, herself listed as no bad looker by competent judges.

"I own up to it," responded her chum, Ariadne.

"The musical shows teen with them. The movies require them. You see them in stores, in offices—everywhere. Yes, this country is full of beautiful girls. But—"

"But what?"

"It would take Helen of Troy to get a seat on a street car now,"—Atlanta Journal.

All That Was Necessary.

The young man was fondling her right hand.

"A nice diamond," he said, awkwardly. "Diamonds are beautiful stones, but on the other hand—"

"Oh, Jack," she murmured, "you make me so happy."

Between Girls.

Louise—Do you know, at the ball the other night Mr. Lovingham called me a dream?

Edna—Oh! Now I understand better what he meant when he told me he suffered so much from nightmares.

There is no substitute for individual interest in government and individual responsibility for government.

NEW BRITISH PREMIER SNAPPED WITH LABOR AIDES



Seated (left to right): Arthur Henderson, Ramsay MacDonald, C. T. Cramp and Sidney Webb. Standing, second from left, is J. R. Clynes.

Headquarters of the Labor party in England has become the seat of government in the British

empire with the ascendancy of J. Ramsay MacDonald to the premiership. This photo shows

a typical pow-wow of labor leaders. It was taken but a few days ago.

PREACHERS OF FAME TO CARRY GOSPEL TO VAST AREA OF UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Based on the conviction that if the people will not go to church the church must go to the people, a great religious movement is being organized by the National Cathedral Foundation.

A college of preachers is to be established at the National Cathedral here, for which a country-wide fund of \$10,000,000 is being assembled, and from this religious revival akin to that of Peter the Hermit, the Crowley Fathers and General Booth is to be directed.

The Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D. D., Episcopal bishop of Washington, is now preparing with other leaders to launch the evangelical enterprise this summer, with the first sessions of the College of Preachers. This embodiment of the church militant in a vigorous campaign for Christ through preaching, publicity and organization, will typify spiritually to America itself, where Woodrow Wilson lies buried, will mean materially as a great religious shrine and, in fact, an American Westminster Abbey, where the nation's honored dead will sleep.

In the forefront of the nation wide preaching renaissance to carry real religion to the man in the street, and to meet the challenge that Christianity has failed, is Monell Sayre, trustee of the Church Pension Fund and pension advisor to the Church of England, whose

brochure, made public today, outlines the argument for the preaching mission.

Mr. Sayre's indictment of Christianity's failure to influence average men and women is summed up in his opening paragraph thus:

"Christianity has lost its hold on the masses of the people. The industrial classes have ceased to be influenced by it. It has sunk into a concern of the so-called middle and upper classes. This is a condition which, if allowed to continue, means that Christianity in America will soon enter definitely into the status of a decaying religion."

To counteract this decay and bring a natural and healthy religious growth to the everyday American, Mr. Sayre proposes a movement to carry it to "the spiritual nature of the average man. He warns against the delusive appearances of apparent material prosperity in the churches, and points out that the danger of the practical overthrow of Christianity is the product of many causes, operating in many years." Among these he lists "insistence that some favorite theory is essential to a following of Christ; emphasis on the material side of conduct instead of on an elevation of our spiritual strength; and the inability of the Church to

day to exhibit and maintain those high standards of Christian morality of which it is the guardian and trustee."

"The parish church is 'the only instrumentality of Christianity seriously and effectively at work today,' Mr. Sayre maintains. A revival of preaching is not needed in the parish church, he points out, but he planned 'solely to reach those who cannot otherwise be won.'"

The presentation of the Christ alone to the people, wherever they may be assembled, devoid of the pomp and power of the pulpit and ceremony, is the nucleus of the program. High intelligence, training, and the power to sway vast multitudes are requisites of the men who are to be on the firing line with a "Twentieth Century message" and able to handle debate. An up-to-date Saint Francis, with his band of preachers, "fired with the spirit of evangelism, gifted with the power of speech, and trained in all the arts of persuasion" would endeavor to Christianize America at mass meetings, conferences, gatherings of all sorts, in theatres, halls, in university stadia, in the highways and by-ways of great cities, and anywhere and everywhere that men and women can be assembled to listen, under the preaching revival. These preachers would renew their own strength at the National Cathedral, where teachers capable of "adding new fire to their zeal" would preside and the hope is expressed that preachers of churches other than the Episcopal will be enlisted in the cause.

"Oh, Me! Our teacher said we come from monkeys." She's wrong. Our folks came from Wales."

AGGIE MATMEN FACE REAL TEST

Missouri Valley Competition Expected to Bring Out Best in School

STILLWATER, Okla., March 7.—(Special)—Because Oklahoma A. and M. college wrestlers have been pointed to win at the annual Missouri Valley conference mat tournament at Ames this week-end, Aggie fans are anticipating a great showing by their favorite grapplers, despite their opposition by thirteen other strong teams.

Before leaving Stillwater for the northern trip, Coach Ed Gallagher said he had kept in mind all season the valley competition and had prepared his men accordingly. At that, the Aggies were not defeated this year.

Gallagher would not predict an outcome at Ames, but did not conceal his faith in his team.

The fact that a squad of seven men, one for each weight class, was taken to the tournament is considered in Stillwater as a prime factor in a favorable Aggie showing. Second and third places will be counted. Two or three first places, plus a few seconds and thirds, will be enough to win the meet, the A. and M. fans believe.

Three Oklahoma Aggie matmen who go to the mat Friday afternoon and Saturday are almost sure winners, in the eyes of their followers. They are Cliff Koen, 153 pounds; Jess Follart, 125 pounds, and Lloyd English, 115 pounds. Koen and Follart have won Southwest conference titles two years, never having been defeated. English, working on the mat this winter for the first time as a varsity

KODAK PRINTS—That lasts always

STALL'S STUDIO
Photos For People Who Know

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man, is another Aggie title holder in the conference. He won the state highschool title when at Altus high. Gerald Northrip, 145 pounds, another new man on the Aggie squad and a 1924 Southwest winner, is another good bet in the Ames affair, as in Clausine Vincent, 135, runner-up in the title race, who is a former Stillwater highschool champion of the state.

Other Aggies entered are Capt. Lynn Reid, 175 pounds, a three-year man, and Ed Roberts, the heavyweight.

French Expenditures Decrease As Receipts from Taxes Grow

PARIS.—The French economic situation is shown in a series of tables in Le Matin, furnished by Emmanuel Evain, Chairman of the auditing committee of the Chamber of Deputies. The principal tables are those of civil and military expenditures and receipts from taxation.

The former shows a steady decrease from 1919, when the total was 35,345,000,000 francs, to 1923, when the total was 23,755,000,000 francs. Receipts from taxes increased from 9,707,000,000 francs in 1919 to (estimated) 23,437,000,000 francs in 1923.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

IF MY PEOPLE, which are called by My name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My face; and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.—Chronicles 7: 14.

A WORTH WHILE ENDEAVOR

Many of the merchants and bankers of Ada are financing a campaign for more trade in Ada. The campaign promises to be successful, and will prove beneficial not only to the business men themselves but to the public in general and to the individuals affected in particular.

The claim that mail order houses make in reference to cheapness of products is fictitious. They advertise cheap goods as high priced goods, and often times shoddy is put off for new wool. People buy from the foreign houses without knowing what they are buying, and are often badly stung in the deal.

The local business men have large stocks, charge fair prices, and help make the country. When people get into trouble, they do not go to the mail order houses for help, but often go to the men who operate stores and factories and feel that they are entitled to help. Many times these same people do not patronize the business men from whom they ask aid.

Another thing people should remember it that taxes are necessary for the maintenance of our schools and government. The business men do their part in this, and every dollar spent at home helps maintain these features of our modern life.

The business men of Ada do not ask or expect any one to trade with them at a sacrifice, for they know they meet and more than meet in price the competition of mail order houses. They are fair and square and are willing to make good any error.

To have a city we must have manufacturing plants and retail and wholesale establishments. You can do your bit by buying from your friends and neighbors. The money will come back to you, and you will be doubly paid by establishing friendly relations with your neighbors.

Let's buy from Ada merchants and buy Ada manufactured products.

The life underwriters of Ada are to be commended for their step in organizing an association for the purpose of fellowship and boosting life insurance in general. The world is coming to recognize that life insurance is just as much a necessity as a home. Some person has said that the man with a family and with little or no property is guilty of criminal neglect if he dies without insurance, provided he is physically capable of getting it. This may be a bit strong, but insurance is the leveling force in the economic world. It keeps families from being on the charity list and keeps business going after the executive has passed away.

The oil row has obscured the Forbes graft in the veterans bureau to a considerable extent but this promises to be revealed as one of the most stupendous pieces of graft on record when the case is aired in court. It is charged that the crooks got away with some \$200,000,000 of money that was intended to relieve the distress of the disabled war veterans. Human suffering counts little with some hounds in the form of men when weighed against money.

The shirt factory that operates with convict labor in the state penitentiary appears to be in the middle of a bad fix. In the Walton impeachment trial evidence was brought out tending to show that officials of the company contributed handsomely to Walton's campaign fund. The fact is the shirt men well knew that it was not safe to let the campaign go by and not contribute. Now, however, the legislature threatens to cancel the contract because of the contributions.

The Tulsa Tribune, following a round of grand opera in Tulsa, strongly advocates some grand opera in English. Well, why not? We see no reason to ignore our own language for that used by some long haired composer. We don't pretend to know anything about music, but we will take our singing in English, if you please, therefore, we second the Tribune's motion.

And now they are telling it on Premier Macdonald, Britain's labor government leader, that he has not done manual labor since he was 20 years old. If that is the case he does not differ much from the majority of the leaders of farmer and labor political parties in the United States. It is not often that one of these office seekers on labor or farmer tickets is either a laborer or a farmer, yet they get by with a good deal of their bunk sometimes.

Perhaps President Coolidge tells the entire truth about his telegrams to McLean, but even then one must admit that he was not very choice about his associates. Perhaps his case is like that of old Tray in the blue back speller.

Of the 434 members of the lower house of congress 373 are members of some church. The Methodist lead with 119 and the list gradually dwindles down to one in the case of three or four dominions.

A MAN IN THE MAKING



OPENING UP THE OLD MAPLE SUGAR BUSH

CALIFORNIA COURT WINS APROBATION

Court for Poor Litigants Prove Success in Short Period

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Legal "hokus-pokus" has been eliminated in San Francisco's small claim court, "where the poor man gets justice," according to Presiding Judge A. T. Barnett of the local justice courts.

The court was established two and a half years ago through action of the California legislature. It was intended to afford individuals unacquainted with legal maneuvering an opportunity to collect small but just debts. It is not necessary to have a lawyer to appear in this court. All cases are for disputes involving less than \$300.

"It is called by many the 'Bill-Jim' court," said Judge Barnett, "because Bill and Jim come here, present their cases and have them settled without delay, great expense or legal technicalities."

Since the court was established it has heard more than 5,000 "Jim-Bill" cases. Cases that never would get into other courts because of the expense of hiring lawyers, filing fees, etc., enter here because these things are eliminated. This informal tribunal has become so popular that five judges spend three days a week handling small claim cases.

Every human emotion comes before this court. Humor, pathos, envy and greed pass in review. Judge Barnett described one case as follows:

"Recently there was a case that brought both tears and smiles. An old street sweeper was in court. He had paid \$35 for a set of false teeth which he claimed did not fit, and he wanted his money back from the dentist. He brought the teeth with him. He took them from his pocket and titters and guffaws from court officials and spectators. He proved they did not fit. It seemed funny to the audience and to me also, but only for a moment.

"The old man told me the money was the last of his savings and that he and his wife had made many sacrifices of actual necessities to buy these teeth. The wife was present. This was tragedy for them.

"Better return the money," I told the dentist. He did.

"That old couple left the court room arm in arm, happy. They did not leave until they had thanked me many times. That one case would prove the value of this court. The money involved was little, but it meant more to this old couple than great sums would to our wealthy citizens."

It has been noted that in 99 cases out of 100 there are no appeals from decisions of the small claim court.

BLUE MOUND

G. W. Allen went to Stonewall Saturday.

Mrs. Dolison and Ethel Dobson went to Ada Saturday.

Carl Underhill went to Hickory Saturday.

J. W. Cook, and son, Olin, Mr. Virgil Scarberry and J. D. and Melvin Underhill went to Ada Saturday.

Mr. Manson Corbet went to Pontotoc Saturday.

Joe Crisp went to Hickory Saturday.

Melvin Underhill spent Saturday night with Homer and Olin Cook.

Minnie Ruth Allen spent Sunday night with Mabel Hart.

Allie Dobson spent Sunday night with Ora Lee Ashley.

Maggie Crisp spent Sunday evening with Ion Bass.

Jasper Allen spent Sunday night with Homer and Olin Cook.

Grace Dobson, Estella Jones, Clara Hart, and Vallier Cantrell took dinner with Cora Huddleston Sunday.

M. and Mrs. W. H. Hart and daughter, Mabel took dinner with G. W. Allen and family Sunday.

Hester Ashley and Letti Cantrell took dinner with Ethel Dobson Sunday.

J. W. Wade and family of Jesse spent Sunday with J. W. Cook and family.

Bill Pittman and family took dinner with D. Jones and family Sunday.

Lena Thurman took dinner with Vera Allen Sunday.

Those who attended school last month without being absent tardy were: Clara Hart, Grace Dobson, Willie Roach, Estella Jones, and Lee Mitchell in upper grades; and Allie Dobson, Aaron and Archie Mitchell, Riley Baley, Cleo Roach, in primary room.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harrell took dinner with C. B. Dobson and family Sunday.

Clara and Mabel Hart and Minnie Ruth Allen spent Friday night with Cleo Roach.

WALNUT GROVE

We are all enjoying the nice sunny weather at present.

We had road working yesterday and certainly thank our fathers and school boys for the good roads which they built by our school house.

Misses Dovie Agee and Susie Alton were visitors at our school yesterday.

We got our school garden broke, yesterday and are planning to do some gardening soon. We thank Henry Goodson and Odell Willoughby for breaking it.

Little lady Ruth Jones visited with little Alice Binion Sunday evening and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirby Sunday.

Little Mabel Kirby reports a visit by the Stork and that he left her a little baby brother of whom she is very proud.

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SHOPPING CONDITIONS IN LIVERPOOL BRING GLOOM

LIVERPOOL—From the point of view of shipping, 1923, was about the worst year Liverpool can remember; there are, however, signs of improvement, for since January 1 there has been a greater demand for tonnage in many directions. This was a statement in an address made recently by Sir R. Burton Chadwick, president of the Liverpool Shipping Staffs Association.

Continuing his remarks the speaker said shipowners should endeavor to cheapen operating costs and increase efficiency rather than expect high freight and passenger rates. One of the greatest hindrances of the shipowner today was the extraordinary delay in turning round his ship, combined with the high port charges. Both those factors were not the result of high wages, but of poor work for that wage.

The question of carrying British cargoes in foreign ships was dealt with on the same occasion by J. H. Sharrock, a former director of one of the big steamship lines. He deplored the fact that some British shippers were sending cargoes in foreign ships and paying their freights to foreign shipowners, while many British seamen were walking the streets.

The Liverpool Underwriters Association also met in conference a few days ago, and the president, Samuel Barker, made a pessimistic report. The only cheerful feature in the cargo business, he said, was that there had been a considerable reduction in the amount of loss suffered through theft and pilferage. It was as yet impossible to form an accurate estimate of losses to marine underwriters through the Japanese earthquake.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

HAPPY LAND

Most farmers are busy getting ready to plant corn. Some have planted potatoes and made gardens. Scott Wilson and little son, Muriel were in Ada Saturday.

Mrs. Bertie Shannon has been quite sick for the last few days. Sherman and Ray Roberts were in Steedman Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Wilson is on the sick list this week.

We have ciphering every Wednesday night at this place. And we would like for Steedman to come and cipher with us some Wednesday night.

Mrs. Zara Daniels and Miss Lorene Daniels called on Mrs. Bertie Shannon Tuesday.

Thomas Shannon was in Ada Wednesday attending to some business.

Safe Fat Reduction

Reduce, reduce, is the slogan of all fat people. Get thin, be slim, is the cry of fashion and society. And the overfat wring their hands in mortification and helplessness, revolting at nauseating drugs, afraid of violent exercise, dreading the unwelcome and unsatisfying diet, until they hit upon the harmless Marmola Prescription and learn through it that they may safely reduce steadily and easily without one change in their mode of life, but harmlessly, secretly, and quickly reaching their ideal of figure, with a smoother skin, better appetite and health than they have ever known. And now comes Marmola Prescription Tablets from the same famous, harmless formula as the Marmola Prescription. It behooves you to learn the satisfactory, beneficial effects of this great, safe, fat reducer by giving to your druggist one dollar for a box, or sending a like amount to the Marmola Company, 4612 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich., with a request that they mail to you a box of Marmola Prescription Tablets. Adv.

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Meat Prices

Good Swifts Breakfast Bacon, per pound	20c
Best Sausage in town 13c lb. 2 pounds for	25c
Boiling Beef	8c
7-Bone Steak	15c
Beef Roast, any cut	10c
Round Steak	17c
Pure Lard or Compound	15c
Swift's Premium Hams, by the ham, per lb.	24c
Fresh Cream Cheese	32c
Large bucket of Pure or Compound Lard	\$1.25
Dry Salt Meat	14c
Best Smoked Meat	18c

If you trade at the right place it won't cost you so much to live

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City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

For painting call J. B. Pendleton, phone 818-J. 2-10-1m*

Mrs. Claude Logsdon is reported ill with the flu.

Call meeting of U. C. T. Saturday night, March 8th. Every member is expected to be there.—Geo. W. Young, secretary-treasurer. 3-4-4t

For heavy hauling see Davis Bros. Phone 504. 2-21-1m*

Mrs. M. B. Malloy is reported ill with an attack of flu.

Attend the Presbyterian Bazaar, March 11 in Pontotoc Bldg., East Main. 3-7-2t

To dress well is merely knowing where to shop—Burk's Style Shop. 3-7-1t

Bruce Ligon returned today from a business trip to Hickory.

SEYBOLD 75c CLEANERS 2-18-2m*

Three-pound special home killed beef roast 25c. Johns and Seagull Grocery and Market, 107 West 12. Phone 309. 3-7-1t

Yandell Lane of Holdenville is a business visitor in the city today.

Big stock of beautiful silk underwear on sale at big reductions.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-7-1t

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Seaman C. F. Mitchell, who has been discharged from the navy spent a few hours in Ada on business today.

Buy your kiddies clothes at the Presbyterian Bazaar March 11th. 3-7-3t

Yes, our new garments are on sale. Spring's newest modes arriving daily going at sale prices.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-7-1t

Miss Mary Robertson, who has been attending East Central College left today for Pontotoc where she will teach school.

All dogs found on the streets with out tax paid will be killed after March 10th—Wick Adair, Chief of Police. 3-7-2t

Saturday special, large assortment spring dresses \$9.75, \$12.75, \$16.75.—The Fashion. 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

Chas. Zorn and F. D. Hill made a trip to Allen today in the interest of the Shrine temple.

Hats cleaned and reblocked.—Miller Bros., Cleaners and Hatters. 3-6-1m*

Hemstitching and pleating done at Rose-Nell Dress shop, 207 East Main. 3-4-8t*

Luther J. Wagoner of Weleetka, who has been in Ada on business returned home today.

Just received the Virginia Hart Aprons and House Dresses, \$2.25 to \$3.50.—The Fashion. 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

Fancy work, aprons, lingerie and good things to eat at Presbyterian Bazaar, Pontotoc Bldg., Tuesday March 11th. 3-7-2t

Wilbur P. Lee, assistant postmaster made a business trip to Ravia today.

Will break gardens. Phone 9511-F13. 2-22-1m

Get one of our Spring Coats at \$12.50.—The Fashion. 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

J. M. Duncan of the firm of Duncan brothers, jewelers, made a business trip to Weleetka today.

Cabbage Plants

Ready by Monday, March 10. See me, 412 West 10th st., or R. J. Rains Grocery Co.—B. F. Stegall. 3-5-4t

Hello, old Top! a new car? No, an old car with a new top and I got it at O'Neal's Top Shop with Motor Sales Co., North Broadway. 3-6-1tw*

Charlie Ray is suffering from an injured foot caused by a rock falling on it.

The genuine Hollywood Sandals and all the new styles in slippers at—The Fashion, 118 West Main. 2-7-1t

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Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Cudd left today for Padon, Okla., after receiving a telegram stating Mrs. Cudd's mother is quite ill.

Free crank case service. Sterling Motor Supply Co. 2-24-1mo

Exide Battery Sales and Service. Phone 1004. Ada Service & Filling Station. 9-5-4t

A. W. Parker and Geo. L. Thompson made a business trip to Sulphur today.

Bronchitis—exhausts vitality

SCOTT'S EMULSION restores strength

Strong on Onions.

One hundred thousand genuine Bermuda onions, grown from imported seed, very best. See me, 412 West 10th st., or R. J. Rains Grocery Co.—B. F. Stegall. 3-5-4t

SPECIAL:

30x33 Tires, \$8.00. Ada Service and Filling Station. 12-22-1m

Prof. German states that the next high school debate of the Ada team will take place March 14. On this occasion the opposing team will come from McCloud.

We drain and wash your crank case free. Three Square Deal Service and Filling Station. 10-3-4t

We will call for chickens. Ada Poultry and Egg Co. 1-11-1m

Misses Jewel Riley and Janie Badgwell of Wapanucka are attending the basketball tournament at the college and spending the weekend with Mrs. J. E. B. Franklin.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00. H. Claude Pitt, phone 171. 1-8-1t

Russell Battery Co., Willard Service and Sales. Phone. 140. 3-6-1m.

Supt. and Mrs. G. H. Booker of Mill Creek and Miss Beulah Booker of Woodward were in the city this afternoon en route to Purcell.

Headquarters for bicycle tires. Ada Service and Filling Station. 1-8-1t

We will call for chickens. Ada Poultry and Egg Co. 1-11-1m

Charlie Deaver, who has been ill for some time is reported as unimproved today.

Who sells Federal Tires? Three Square Deal! 11-12-4t

Mohawk Tires. Oliver & Nettles. 12-10-1m*

Mayor W. H. Fisher was called to Dallas today on account of the death of his brother-in-law, C. P. Alexander. He received word this morning that Mr. Alexander passed away last night. He expects to be back in the city Sunday.

McCary Bros., can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 116-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-1t

FOOD SALE at Coffman, Bobbitt & Sparks Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. by Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church, lots of good things for your Sunday Dinner. 3-4-4t

McPHERRON LEADS IN ADOPTING GAS TAX BILL

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Warning senators that unless they passed the gasoline tax bill they would be condemned "as the greatest bunch of four-flushers ever assembled in the state," C. E. McPherron of Durant, Thursday delivered the most vigorous speech of the special session.

The bill, as amended by the house, was adopted by a vote of 28 to 5.

"We have talked economy and only agreed on appropriation bills," McPherron said. "Let's forget the county highway commissioners who have been trying to dictate legislation. In the past we have cursed the highway department but never have given it a single bit of aid. If this bill fails Oklahoma will rightly say that this legislature is incompetent to enact highway legislation."

McPherron predicted that since the adjournment would be compulsory within five days. "In five days there will not be a quorum in either house or senate," he asserted. "The legislators are going home and I don't blame them."

FEDERAL INSPECTION OF GUARD TROOP STARTED

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Okla., March 6.—Federal inspection of Tulsa infantry troops of the Oklahoma National guard was started here today by Capt. Eli A. Bonney of the regular army. The inspection will be completed March 10, Captain Bonney said.

Company "L" will be the first organization to undergo review. The other units, all of the 180th regiment, will follow, including the medical detachment.

A recruiting campaign is to be launched immediately after the inspection to obtain recruits to fill vacancies in the ranks.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

GOOD EVENING!

The Settee Customer says:

"A whole goods box wuz whittled up at Neighbor Ezra Hepplewhite's yesterday during an argument on the cause of the Civil War."

OUR DAILY REMINDER

BUNTE'S CANDY

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THOMPSON'S DRUG STORE

PHONE 10

Just for Curiosity

If you are curious about the results of using Calumet—bake a cake and use some other baking powder, then use the same recipe and employ **CALUMET**

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

Compare the texture of the two cakes—the way they look—the way they taste. The difference will make you join the millions who use Calumet daily.

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Sales 2 1/2 times as much as that of any other brand

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

OBITUARY

J. W. FARRIS

J. W. Farris, age 77 years, died at his home three miles east of Ada Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment at Frisco cemetery.

Farris was one of the old timers, having come here in the early days of Pontotoc county.

MRS. G. M. LEDBETTER

Mrs. G. M. Ledbetter, age 65 years, died this morning at 7:30 o'clock at her home eight miles out of Ada.

The body was brought to the Criswell Mortuary where it will be held until a son can arrive from California.

The deceased is survived by a husband, five sons and three daughters. Two boys were absent when death occurred.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

BAKER'S OPINION ON MUSCLE SHOALS SALE OFFERED

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 7.—When consideration by the house of the Muscle Shoals question was resumed today Representative Hull, Republican Iowa, leading the fight against the Ford offer, made public a letter from Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war, which declared:

"It would be a calamity to have this great national asset come into private hands upon any terms now possible to secure."

TWO UNMASKED BANDITS ROB CAPITOL HILL BANK

OKLAHOMA CITY, Mar. 7.—Two unmasked bandits walked into the state bank of Capitol Hill, a suburb today, locked three officers and employees and two patrons in the vault and started out with \$1,500 in cash. No one saw the bandits enter the bank except the five persons mentioned and the alarm was not given until the prisoners freed themselves. No trace has been found of the robbers.

J. P. Rowlett, president, one of those locked in the vault, said both outlaws were young.

MARRIAGE-DIVORCE RACE TAKES CLOSE BREAK IN MONTH

The marriage-divorce race throttled down to a slow pace this month with five couples brought together via the marriage license route and four taking different roads after unsuccessful marital conquests.

Of recent date there has been many marriages of more or less secret arrangement, labeled in imposing letters—"don't publish," while many of the divorce petitions seek the same escape from the glare of the public.

NOTHING ALARMING FOUND IN CITY LAW ENFORCEMENT

The police department found everything serene on city streets last night and turned in their night sticks without an arrest to mar the clean record of the past three days, according to Mayor W. H. Fisher this morning.

Fisher stated that the number of arrests had decreased at remarkable rapidity during the past year.

WALKER ADDRESSES RETAIL MERCHANTS

National Cash Register Representative Talks to Ada Retailers

The Retail Merchants Association Thursday evening enjoyed a address by A. W. Walker of the National Cash Register company. Speaking on the theme of "How to Make More Profits," Mr. Walker went into the matter of economy of sales and how to increase those sales.

He said that an open mind is a business man's best asset. Even the most successful can find new and better ways of doing things.

A different line of clerks is needed in a retail business from what was needed a few years ago. The attendance in high schools and colleges increased enormously in the last decade, and high school and college men and women are not content to list to the piffle sales talks that the ignorant clerk puts up.

The different ways that a merchant may increase his profits are by buying for less, increased prices, reduced expenses and increased stock-turn. It was on the last that the speaker put most emphasis. If a merchant can speed the times he turns his stock a year, he will make more money, as the overhead expenses do not increase in proportion.

J. E. Harris, president, also delivered a speech on the necessity of attending the meetings and the good that will come from the discussions.

SCHOELKOPF AND WIFE SIGN SEPARATION PAPERS

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 7.—Hugo P. C. Schoelkopf of Buffalo and wife Irene who was robbed of \$300,000 worth of jewelry in this city a year ago, have signed a separation agreement, it was disclosed today in general sessions court. Mrs. Schoelkopf and Frank B. Cummings whose apartment she was leaving after a New Year party, were passengers yesterday on the Berengaria returning from abroad.

REFUND BILL TO PAY BACK ILLEGAL TAXES

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Taxpayers of Oklahoma will have a chance to get back \$2,150,000 of illegal taxes which they paid under the 1-1-2 mill levy recently knocked out by the supreme court, the house having passed the refund bill Thursday afternoon.

The bill has already passed the senate and now goes to Governor Trapp for his action. The bill has passed knocks out the joker contained in a similar bill which passed the regular session of the Ninth legislature.

That bill appropriated the money from the surplus in the state treasurer's hands, and there was never any surplus. The bill en route to the governor appropriates "any money not otherwise appropriated."

Those who paid the tax can take their receipts or other evidence that they paid the tax to the county treasurers and get their money back, if the governor signs the bill.

A bank in Oak Park, Ill., has a room fitted to handle the business of juvenile patrons exclusively.

HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN?

If you have not made up your mind as to whom you will vote for, remember what was said during the war. "Go on, boys, when you return, anything you ask for is yours." Now is your chance. Everything being equal, I ask your support.

Otie F. Davidson,
Candidate for
Commissioner of Public
Works and Property.

Notice Shriners!

There will be a call meeting of the Pontotoc County Shrine Club Friday evening at the Chamber of Commerce room for the purpose of business. Every Noble is requested to attend. Hour 7:30. Bring your Fez.

TOM B. BLAKE, President

Shaw's DEPARTMENT STORE

New Spring Suits

You've worn suits like that often—probably the reason for liking them isn't always clear—the main thing is that you do like them.

The reason—almost always—is because you look your best in them—have a certain feeling of well being and good grooming—are sure of your appearance.

One style, Young Men will like particularly—that is the cut-away two-button suit with wide round notched lapels—known as the new British style. This coat is matched with a set of wide straight trousers and a short pointed vest.

Of course, there is a complete line of styles for older and "older-young men" conservative dressers.

You Will Like at "First Sight"

With two trousers—

24.50	29.50
34.50	39.50

Fashion Park and Stein-Bloch

—Feature an extremely smart young man's style in the English idea.

—The Stein-Bloch Saxon model for conservative men is the last word in fine tailoring—and fits like you will like for it too.

39.50 44.50 49.50

Common Sense Economy in New Spring Hats \$5

A description of them all is hardly practicable—but just come see for yourself, and you will say they are the best looking this store has ever shown.

Wood brown and pearl mixture, dull greys, tan and brown combinations, sand and dull combinations, blues, plain pearls with black bands in regular and feather-weights.

You would pay from \$5.50 to \$7 in most places for the same hats.



Shaw's DEPARTMENT STORE

THE EVIL SHEPHERD

By
E. Phillips Oppenheim
Illustrations by IRWIN MYERS

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There was a moment's throbbing silence. Francis, notwithstanding his deep pity, was conscious of an overwhelming sensation of relief. She had never pretended to! He put the thought into words.

"You never cared for him, then?" "I tried to," she replied simply, "but I found it impossible. Within a week of our marriage I hated him."

Francis leaned back, his eyes half closed. In his ears was the sonorous roar of Piccadilly, the hooting of motorcars, close at hand the rustling of a faint wind in the elm trees. It was a wonderful moment. The nightmare with which he had grappled so fiercely, which he had overthrown, but whose ghost still sometimes walked by his side, had lost its chief and most poignant terror. She had been tricked into the marriage. She had never cared or pretended to care. The primal horror of that tragedy which he had figured so often to himself, seemed to have departed with the thought. Its shadow must always remain, but in time his conscience would acquiesce in the pronouncement of his reason. It



"Let Us Talk About Ourselves," He Whispered.

was the hand of justice, not any human hand, which had slain Oliver Hilditch.

"What did your father say when he discovered the truth?" he asked.

"He did not know it until he came to England on the day that Oliver Hilditch was acquitted. My husband always pretended that he had a special mail bag going out to South America, so he took away all the letters I wrote to my father, and he took care that I received none except one or two which I know now are forgeries. He had friends in South America himself who helped him—one a tylist in my father's office, of whom I discovered afterwards—but that really doesn't matter. He was a wonderful master of deceit."

Francis suddenly took her hands. He had an overwhelming desire to escape from the miasma of those ugly days, with their train of attendant thoughts and speculations.

PLANNING CELEBRATION FOR SPAVINAW OPENING

TULSA, Okla., March 6.—Mayor H. F. Newblock and the city of Tulsa are planning on a big demonstration for the opening of the new \$6,800,000 Spavinaw water system, which probably will be in June, the mayor has stated.

The exact nature of the celebration has not been determined, but the mayor has promised to proclaim the day a holiday and possibly to stage a carnival.

City officials will hold a formal dedication ceremony on the day the new water is turned into the city mains. Present plans call for the opening June 15.

Most of the work on the project has been completed and city engineers estimated that all connections from the Spavinaw river to the city reservoir would be made by March 15. From that date only minor details in finishing up the work will be necessary though this will take several months, the mayor said.

When the Spavinaw system goes into operation, Tulsa will have the first tap water suitable for drinking since 1922, and the new water system will sound the death knell of several large concerns here dealing in spring water.

Huge sums have been expended by citizens here for bottled water. Practically every family in the city makes a five-gallon purchase every three days, city officials estimate, and at that rate the people are pay-

"Let us talk about ourselves," he whispered.

Presently they saw Sir Timothy's Rolls-Royce glide up to the front door below and Sir Timothy himself enter the house, followed by another man whose appearance was somehow familiar.

There was a knock at the door. Hedges made his diffident appearance. "I beg your pardon, sir," he began, addressing Francis. "Sir Timothy has been asking if you are still here. He would be very glad if you could spare him a moment in the library."

Francis rose at once to his feet. "I was just leaving," he said. "I will look in at the library and see Sir Timothy on my way out."

Sir Timothy was standing upon the hearthrug of the very wonderful apartment which he called his library.

"You asked for me, Sir Timothy," Francis said.

Sir Timothy smiled. "I was fortunate to find that you had not left," he answered. "I want you to be present at this forthcoming interview. You are to a certain extent in the game. I thought it might amuse you."

Francis for the first time was aware that his host was not alone. The room, with its odd splashes of light, was full of shadows, and he saw now that in an easy-chair a little distance away from Sir Timothy, a girl was seated. Behind her, still standing, with his hat in his hand, was a man. Francis recognized them both with surprise.

"Miss Hyslop!" he exclaimed.

She nodded a little defiantly. Sir Timothy smiled.

"Ah!" he said. "You know the young lady, without a doubt. Mr. Shopland, your coadjutor in various works of philanthropy, you recognize, of course? I do not mind confessing to you, Ledsam, that I am very much afraid of Mr. Shopland. I am not at all sure that he has not a warrant for my arrest in his pocket."

The detective came a little further into the light. He was attired in an ill-fitting dinner suit, a soft-fronted shirt of unpleasant design, a collar of the wrong shape, and a badly arranged tie. He seemed, nevertheless, very pleased with himself.

"I came on here, Mr. Ledsam, at Sir Timothy's desire," he said. "I should like you to understand," he added, with a covert glance of warning, "that I have been devoting every effort, during the last few days, to the discovery of your friend's brother, Mr. Reginald Wilmore."

"I am very glad to hear it," Francis replied shortly. "The boy's brother is one of my greatest friends."

"I have come to the conclusion," the detective pronounced, "that the young man has been abducted, and is being detained at The Walled House against his will for some illegal purpose."

"In other respects," Sir Timothy said, stretching out his hand toward a cedar-wood box of cigarettes and selecting one, "this man seems quite sane. I have watched him very closely on the way here, but I could see no signs of mental aberration. I do not think, at any rate, that he is dangerous."

"Sir Timothy," Shopland explained, with some anger in his tone, "declines to take me seriously. I can of course apply for a search warrant, as I shall do, but it occurred to me to be one of those cases which could be better dealt with, up to a certain point, without recourse to the extremities of the law."

Sir Timothy, who had lit his cigarette, presented a wholly undisturbed front.

"What I cannot quite understand," he said, "is the exact meaning of that word 'abduction.' Why should I be suspected of forcibly removing a harmless and worthy young man from his regular avocation, and, as you term it, abducting him, which I presume means keeping him bound and gagged and imprisoned? I do not eat young men. I do not even care for the society of young men. I am not naturally a gregarious person, but I think I would go so far," he added, with a bow toward Miss Hyslop, "as to say that I prefer the society of young women. Satisfy my curiosity, therefore, I beg of you. For what reason do you suppose that I have been concerned in the disappearance of this Mr. Reginald Wilmore?"

Francis opened his lips, but Shopland, with a warning glance, intervened.

"I work sometimes as a private person, sir," he said, "but it is not to be forgotten that I am an officer of the law. It is not for us to state motives or even to afford explanations for our behavior. I have watched your house at Hatch End, Sir Timothy, and I have come to the conclusion that unless you are willing to discuss this matter with me in a different spirit, I am justified in asking the magistrates for a search warrant."

Sir Timothy sighed. "Mr. Ledsam," he said, "I think, after all, that yours is the most interesting end of this espionage business. It is you who search for motives, is it not, and pass them on to our more automatic friend, who does the rest. May I ask, have you supplied the motive in the present case?"

"I have failed to discover any motive at all for Reginald Wilmore's disappearance," Francis admitted, "nor have I at any time been able to connect you with it. Mr. Shopland's efforts, however, although he has not seen well to take me into his entire confidence, have my warmest approval and sympathy. Although I have accepted your very generous hospitality, Sir Timothy, I think there has been no misunderstanding between us on this matter."

"Most correct," Sir Timothy murmured. "The trouble seems to be, so

far as I am concerned, that no one will tell me exactly what I am suspected of. I am to give Mr. Shopland the run of my house, or he will make his appearance in the magistrate's court and the evening papers will have placards with marvelous headlines at my expense. How will it run, Mr. Shopland—

"MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF A YOUNG GENTLEMAN. MILLIONAIRE'S HOUSE TO BE SEARCHED."

"We do not necessarily acquaint the press with our procedure," Shopland rejoined.

"Nevertheless," Sir Timothy continued, "I have known awkward consequences arise from a search warrant too rashly applied for or granted. However, we are scarcely being polite. So far, Miss Hyslop has had very little to say."

The young lady was not altogether at her ease.

"I have had very little to say," she repeated, "because I did not expect an audience."

Sir Timothy drew a letter from his pocket, opened it and adjusted his eyeglasses.

"Here we are," he said. "After leaving my dinner-party tonight, I called at the club and found this note. Quite an inviting little affair, you see—your lady's writing, faint but very delicate perfume, excellent stationery. Milan Court—the home of adventures!"

Dear Sir Timothy: Although I am not known to you personally, there is a certain matter concerning which information has come into my possession, which I should like to discuss with you. Will you call and see me as soon as possible?

Sincerely yours,
DAISY HYSLOP.

"On receipt of this note," Sir Timothy continued, folding it up, "I telephoned to the young lady, and as I was fortunate enough to find her at home I asked her to come here. I then took the liberty of introducing myself to Mr. Shopland, whose interest in my evening has been unvarying, and whose uninvited company I have been compelled to bear with, and suggested that, as I was on my way back to Curzon street, he had better come in and have a drink and tell me what it was all about. I arranged that he should find Miss Hyslop here, and for a person of observation, which I flatter myself to be, it was easy to discover the interesting fact that Mr. Shopland and Miss Daisy Hyslop were not strangers. Now tell me, young lady," Sir Timothy went on, "you see, I have placed myself entirely in your hands. Never mind the presence of these two gentlemen. Tell me exactly what you wanted to say to me?"

"The matter is of no great importance," Miss Hyslop declared, "in any case I should not discuss it before these two gentlemen."

"Don't go for a moment, please," Sir Timothy begged, as she showed signs of departure. "Listen. I want to make a suggestion to you. There is an impression abroad that I was interested in the two young men, Victor Bidlake and Fairfax, and that I knew something of their quarrel. You were an intimate friend of young Bidlake's and presumably in his confidence? It occurs to me, therefore, that Mr. Shopland might very well have visited you in search of information, linking me up with that unfortunate affair. Hence your little note to me."

Miss Hyslop rose to her feet. She had the appearance of being very angry indeed.

"Do you mean to insinuate—" she began.

"Madam, I insinuate nothing," Sir Timothy interrupted sternly. "I only desire to suggest this. You are a young lady whose manner of living, I gather, is to a certain extent precarious. It must have seemed to you a likelier source of profit to withhold any information you might have to give at the solicitation of a rich man, than to give it free gratis and for nothing to a detective. Now am I right?"

Miss Hyslop turned towards the door. She had the air of a person who had been entirely misunderstood.

"I wrote you out of kindness, Sir Timothy," she said in an aggrieved manner. "I shall have nothing more to say on the matter—to you, at any rate."

Sir Timothy sighed.

"You see," he said, turning to the others, "I have lost my chance of conciliating a witness. My check-book remains locked up and she has gone over to your side."

She turned around suddenly. "You know that you made Bobby Fairfax kill Victor!" she almost shouted.

Sir Timothy smiled in triumph. "My dear young lady," he begged, "let us now be friends again. I desired to know your trump card. For that reason I fear that I have been a little brutal. No; please don't hurry away. You have shot your bolt. Already Mr. Shopland is turning the thing over in his mind. Was I lurking outside that night, Mr. Shopland, to guide that young man's flabby arm? He scarcely seemed man enough for a murderer, did he, when he sat quaking on that stool in Soto's bar while Mr. Ledsam tortured him? I beg you again not to hurry, Miss Hyslop. At any rate wait while my servants fetch you a taxi. It was clouding over when I came in. We may even have a thunderstorm."

"I want to get out of this house," Daisy Hyslop declared. "I think you are all horrible. Mr. Ledsam did behave like a gentleman when he came to see me, and Mr. Shopland asked questions civilly. But you—" she added, turning round to Sir Timothy.

"Hush, my dear," he interrupted, holding out his hand. "Don't abuse me. I am not angry with you—not in the least—and I am going to prove it. I shall postpone any search warrant which you might apply for, Mr. Shopland, and I think I can oppose it with success. But I invite you two, Miss Hyslop and Mr. Ledsam, to my party on Thursday night. Once under my roof you shall have carte blanche. You can wander where you please, knock on the walls for secret hiding places, stamp upon the floor for oulbettes, upstairs or down, the cellars and the lofts, the grounds and the park, the whole of my domain is for you from midnight on Thursday until four o'clock. What do you say, Mr. Shopland? Does my offer satisfy you?"

The detective hesitated. "I should prefer an invitation for myself," he declared bluntly.

Sir Timothy shook his head. "Alas, my dear Mr. Shopland," he regretted, "that is impossible! If I had only myself to consider I would not hesitate. Personally I like you. You amuse me more than anyone I have met for a long time. But unfortunately I have my guests to consider! You must be satisfied with Mr. Ledsam's report."

Shopland stroked his stubby mustache. It was obvious that he was not in the least disconcerted.

"There are three days between now and then," he reflected.

"During those three days, of course," Sir Timothy said dryly. "I shall do my best to obliterate all traces of my various crimes. Still, you are a clever detective, and you can give Mr. Ledsam a few hints. Take my advice. You won't get that search warrant, and if you apply for it none of you will be at my party."

"I accept," Shopland decided.

Sir Timothy crossed the room, unlocked the drawer of a magnificent writing-table, and from a little packet drew out two cards of invitation. They were of small size but thick, and the color was a brilliant scarlet. On one he wrote the name of Francis, the other he filled in for Miss Hyslop.

"Miss Daisy Hyslop," he said, "shall we drink a glass of wine together on Thursday evening, and will you decide that although, perhaps, I am not a very satisfactory correspondent, I can at least be an amiable host?"

The girl's eyes glistened. She knew very well that the possession of that card meant that for the next few days she would be the envy of every one of her acquaintances.

"Thank you, Sir Timothy," she replied eagerly. "You have quite misunderstood me, but I should like to come to your party."

Sir Timothy handed over the cards. He rang for a servant and bowed the others out. Francis he detained for a moment.

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Sir Timothy smiled. He looked up his drawer and slipped the key into his pocket.

"Ledsam and I," he said, "have promised one another a more complete mutual understanding on Thursday night. I may not be able to part with him quite so soon."

"Hush, my dear," he interrupted, holding out his hand. "Don't abuse me. I am not angry with you—not in the least—and I am going to prove it. I shall postpone any search warrant which you might apply for, Mr. Shopland, and I think I can oppose it with success. But I invite you two, Miss Hyslop and Mr. Ledsam, to my party on Thursday night. Once under my roof you shall have carte blanche. You can wander where you please, knock on the walls for secret hiding places, stamp upon the floor for oulbettes, upstairs or down, the cellars and the lofts, the grounds and the park, the whole of my domain is for you from midnight on Thursday until four o'clock. What do you say, Mr. Shopland? Does my offer satisfy you?"

The detective hesitated. "I should prefer an invitation for myself," he declared bluntly.

Sir Timothy shook his head. "Alas, my dear Mr. Shopland," he regretted, "that is impossible! If I had only myself to consider I would not hesitate. Personally I like you. You amuse me more than anyone I have met for a long time. But unfortunately I have my guests to consider! You must be satisfied with Mr. Ledsam's report."

Shopland stroked his stubby mustache. It was obvious that he was not in the least disconcerted.

"There are three days between now and then," he reflected.

"During those three days, of course," Sir Timothy said dryly. "I shall do my best to obliterate all traces of my various crimes. Still, you are a clever detective, and you can give Mr. Ledsam a few hints. Take my advice. You won't get that search warrant, and if you apply for it none of you will be at my party."

"I accept," Shopland decided.

Sir Timothy crossed the room, unlocked the drawer of a magnificent writing-table, and from a little packet drew out two cards of invitation. They were of small size but thick, and the color was a brilliant scarlet. On one he wrote the name of Francis, the other he filled in for Miss Hyslop.

"Miss Daisy Hyslop," he said, "shall we drink a glass of wine together on Thursday evening, and will you decide that although, perhaps, I am not a very satisfactory correspondent, I can at least be an amiable host?"

The girl's eyes glistened. She knew very well that the possession of that card meant that for the next few days she would be the envy of every one of her acquaintances.

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(Continued Tomorrow)

To Improve German Cooking. HEIDELBERG—University professors have interested themselves in a movement to improve the German cooking. Too much attention is paid to quantity by the German cooks, it is contended, and not enough to quality. German cooking in the sixteenth century equalled that of any other country, say the domestic science experts, but during the Thirty Years' war the culinary art lost prestige and flavor which have never been regained.

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RAILROAD-MADE TOWN IS ENDED WHEN THEY MOVE

(By the Associated Press)
RENO, Nev., March 7.—A railroad that "made" the town of Amadee, Lassen county, California, near the Nevada line, has "killed" it.

Officially its demise was announced for the latter part of February, when its post office was ordered moved to Wendle, five miles away.

For a decade after the Nevada, California and Oregon railway laid its tracks from Reno to Amadee, the town thrived as a distributing point for a score of small villages without rail connections.

Ranchers for 100 miles around drove their stock to Amadee for shipment east and west. Buyers from the stockyard centers of the country gathered there. A big hotel was built. Huge feeding corrals and enormous barns sprang up at the rail terminal.

The first blow came to Amadee when the N. C. and O. extended its lines north through Alturas, Calif., to Lakeview, Ore. A few years later the Western Pacific railway sliced off its feeder towns to the west. In 1909 the Southern Pacific passed it five miles to the east.

Amadee made by a railroad, was marooned in a wedge of railroads. The N. C. and O. tore up its tracks in Amadee's front yard. The population dwindled to a dozen persons. The post office no longer paid and the post office department struck it from the rolls.

THEATRE MAN'S PROMISE INVOLVES HIM IN SUIT

(By the Associated Press)
BUDAPEST.—The Hungarian courts have been asked to pass upon a breach of promise case involving a costly fur coat, the property of Miss Jeanne Marnae, an actress. The coat was stolen while she was appearing at a Budapest theatre and she held the theatre director responsible because he had neglected to safe guard her effects while she was on the stage.

A few days later the police notified the actress that the coat had

been recovered. Miss Marnae was elated. So was the theatre director. The latter assured the actress, she asserts, that he had really planned to buy her another coat just as good as the one stolen.

It developed that the police were mistaken about the coat. It wasn't the one stolen from the actress. The theatre director then was anything but elated. He refused to buy Miss Marnae another "just as good coat" or any coat at all, and she filed suit to compel him to keep his promise and reimburse her for her lost coat.

Festival Singers Not Disclosed
BAYREUTH.—Names of artists who will participate in the revival of the Wagnerian festival next sum-

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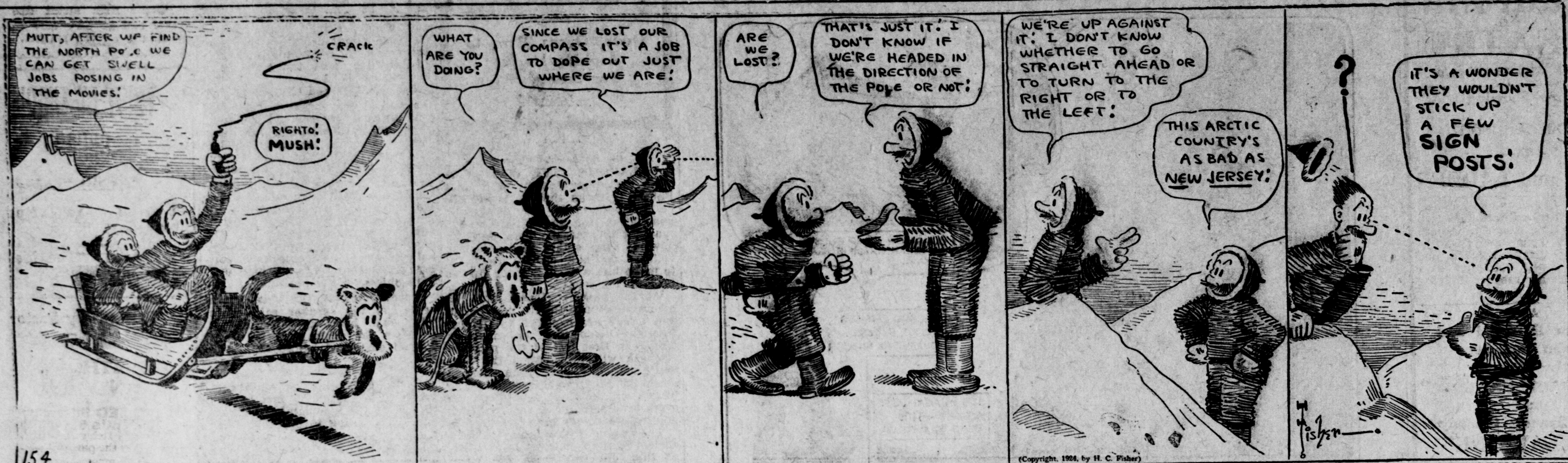
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Legal Notices

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

To the Citizens of Ada, Oklahoma:

Notice is hereby given that the bi-annual primary election of officers of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, will be held on the 18th day of March, 1924, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor and Commissioner of Public Justice and Safety, Commissioner of Accounting and Finance, and Commissioner of Public Works.

Notice is also hereby given that on the 18th day of March, 1924, there will be nominated candidates for the School Board to represent Wards 2 and 3 and the outlying districts. There will also be nominated at the same time a Treasurer of the School Board of the City of Ada, Oklahoma.

Notice is also hereby given that the bi-annual general election of said officers of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, to be held on the 1st day of April, 1924.

That said elections will be held between the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m. on said dates at the following places, to-wit:

First Ward at the City Hall; regular precinct election judges and clerks.

Second Ward at Fred Ford's Garage, North Broadway; regular precinct election judges and clerks.

Third Ward at Haney Building, Old Holley Drug Store; regular precinct election judges and clerks.

Fourth Ward at Ada Marble Works, 217 Twelfth street; regular precinct election judges and clerks.

Citizens desiring to vote for the School Board member to be elected from the outlying districts will vote in the City Hall.

Said polls will be open at 6 o'clock a. m., and close at 7 o'clock p. m.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1924.

W. H. FISHER,
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Justice and Safety.

W. S. SMITH,
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Attest:
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YEAGER.

Marsh Ragland, wife and babies spent Sunday night with his brother, Jim Ragland of Ada.

Quite a few people of this community still have the measles.

Marsh Ragland's folks are all able to be up again, after all having the measles.

Ala Hinkle spent Sunday with Zenobia Jervis.

Misses Hazel Miller, Marie Shipley, and Zora Ragland spent Sunday with Liwana and Verna Wise.

Misses Velma and Virgie Miller, Leona and Ethel James spent Sunday with Gladys Bell.

Mr. Bell who has been sick for quite a while, is very sick at this writing.

Miss Omie Ledford of Summers Chapel is still with her aunt, Mrs. Will Jervis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonie Wise motored to Ada, Sunday to have their little girl's eyes treated.

Marie Shipley was the guest of Virgie Miller was the guest of Ethel Nix Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Shipley was the guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pennington of Parish Chapel Friday and Saturday night.

Audie Jones of Stratford, is visiting her brother, Oren Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. James were visitors in Galey community Sunday.

Cam Stonecipher was the guest of the Wise home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buddy were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bundy of Stratford.

A. C. Nix and family spent Sunday with his father, Marsh Ragland.

A bunch of little girls spent Sunday with Jessie and Hazel Cansby.

Audie Shipley spent Sunday with Doff Cosby.

Mrs. Ragland is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aruel Jones spent Saturday night with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ballard of Ada.

Aza Stonecipher is on the sick list this week.

Vera Cranford was the guest of Hazel Miller Sunday night.

Mrs. Payne Sunday evening.—Blue Eye Couple.

LATTA.

Vendetta Smith gave a leap-year party Friday evening.

The vocational agriculture class put up some swings and horizontal bars during their shop practice period last week.

The epidemic of measles is abating somewhat, although several new cases have developed recently.

Mr. Toby's family are the latest victims. The young peoples' meeting was held Sunday afternoon so as to permit those who desired to do so, to attend the revivals in the city.

The primary rooms have been inquisitiously laboring at making flower beds along side their room. As a result two nice beds have been planted.

Mrs. Mundy and Rowell Kennon spent Sunday in Sherman, Texas.

Sam Hill is recovering from a severe attack of the flu.

Mr. Miller, scout master, from Ada gave the patrol of scouts some valuable instruction Tuesday afternoon.

Farmers are more than busy preparing the ground for spring crops.

The domestic science class have just finished a months serving of hot lunches to the pupils and faculty. Many regrets that other work makes it impossible for them to keep up this service.

Robert Irwin of Ada spent Sunday with Dale Fishbeck.

FRISCO.

Farmers are very busy in the fields now and their ground is being put in good condition for their crops as rapidly as possible.

Mrs. W. W. Strickland and son, James, spent the week-end in Tulsa with her sister, Mrs. R. T. Blackburn.

Mrs. G. H. Truax was shopping in Ada last Thursday.

Mrs. Ann Calhoun of Francis has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sam Andrews.

W. F. Morris and family spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. T. Morris at Byrd's Mill.

Miss Jewel Thomas of Ada spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. B. D. Thomas.

Duane Thomas and family moved to Stonewall last week.

O. M. Sallee was a business visitor to Ada last Thursday.

Mrs. Schley Stegall of Atoka is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson.

Judge Winn and Mrs. C. Cochran of Ada were visitors in the home of W. H. Gray and wife, Sunday afternoon.

The drillers are setting up their oil rig on the Rock place just north of Frisco and work will be begun at once.

E. N. Massey has been on the sick list for some time but is improving slowly.

Death again entered our midst last week and claimed another of our oldest citizens, R. W. Gilstrap.

He had been failing in health for the past two years and on Feb. 19th, he expressed a desire to be carried to the Breco hospital in Ada where he would be under the constant care of his physician, but he kept gradually growing worse.

"I would have the headache and... was so weak I felt like I would just have to sink down and stay there."

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No. 13—Lv. Daily 10:50 p. m.

WEST

No. 14—Lv. Daily 5:15 a. m.

No. 16—Lv. Daily 4:30 p. m.

SANTA FE

No. 446—Ar. Daily 11:40 a. m. (Stops Here)

WEST

No. 445—Lv. Daily 12:20 p. m.

FRISCO

No. 510—Lv. Daily 12:30 p. m.

No. 512—Lv. Daily 5:15 p. m.

No. 118—Lv. Daily 8:33 a. m.

SOUTH

No. 117—Lv. Daily 12:46 a. m.

No. 511—Lv. Daily 12:30 p. m.

No. 507—Ar. Daily 7:35 p. m.

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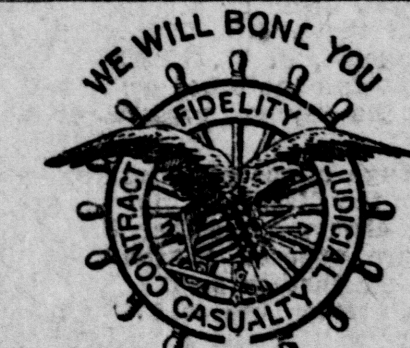
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SUPREME COURT REFUSES BOLEN CASE

DAUGHERTY SENT CHEERY MESSAGE TO HELP M'LEAN

Decoded Message Reveals
Publisher is Encouraged
By Attorney General
TOLD NOT TO WORRY

Claims "Principal" Referred
Is Senator Willis and
Not Coolidge

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—The oil committee was told today that Attorney General Daugherty sent a reassuring message to Edward B. McLean in Florida on the day the publisher was summoned here to testify in the oil inquiry.

Ira E. Bennett, editorial writer on McLean's Washington Post, testified that such a message was conveyed to McLean after a conference with the attorney general.

The message as placed before the committee included such phrases as "all that is possible to be done will be done by us" and "you know what to depend on."

Bennett declared similar assurances had been conveyed through him to McLean on January 9 in the famous "principal" message.

"Principal," Bennett said, "was not President Coolidge, as some Democratic senators suggested, but Senator Curtis."

He testified that Curtis had told him the publisher should not be disturbed and that it would be "all right."

Telegrams Are Decoded.

As partially decoded and placed on the committee records the message that Bennett said the attorney general had him send to McLean follows:

"I am at V's elbow. All that is possible to be done will be done by us so you should worry. Delay selection of prosecutors."

"Give Evelyn (Mrs. McLean) my love. I do not want Evelyn to be disturbed as long as I am on the job. The fight is on and I am ready for them and full of fight."

The "principal" telegram of January 29 by which Bennett said he meant to convey assurance from Senator Curtis said:

"Saw principal, delivered message. It was greatly appreciated. Sends regards to you and Mrs. McLean. There will be no rocking of the boat and no resignations. He expects reaction from political attacks."

At a conference that morning Bennett said Senator Curtis told him to tell McLean that he need not worry as he had done nothing wrong except stand by Albert B. Fall.

BYFIELD DAMAGE SUIT TAKES TURN

Byfield Testifies Candler Gave
Him Check for \$25,000
On Board Steamer

(By the Associated Press)
DECATUR, Ga., March 7.—Reading of documentary evidence by the defense in the trial of the suit for \$100,000 damages brought by Mrs. Sarah Byfield, beauty contest winner, against Walter T. Candler, was expected to be resumed in court today.

The suit resulted from an alleged attack on Mrs. Byfield by Candler on the morning of July 17, 1922 in Mrs. Byfield's state room on the liner Berengaria, enroute to Europe.

Attorneys for plaintiff rested yesterday when Clyde Byfield, his wife and two physicians had testified and a mass of documentary evidence introduced.

The most sensational development yesterday was Byfield's admission on the stand that within approximately 10 minutes after he had discovered Candler in his wife's state room he had Candler's check for \$25,000.

Later while in Paris, according to the testimony, Candler exchanged the check for \$2,000 in cash and a note for \$20,000 and obtained a signed statement from Byfield exonerating him from all blame.

Walton Announces Candidacy.

(By the Associated Press)
BOKCHITO, OKLA., March 7.—J. C. Walton, deposed governor of Oklahoma, announced his candidacy for the United States senate here last night at a meeting of the Farm-Labor party. He was applauded wildly by his audience when his announcement was made.

EX-CROWN PRINCE OF GERMANY IN MIDST OF FAMILY



Most recent photo of the former Crown Prince of Germany and his family, taken at Oels. Left to right (at top), Prince Hubert, Prince Louis Ferdinand, the former Crown Prince, Prince Wilhelm; (below), Prince Frederick, Princess Alexandrine, Princess Cecile and the former Crown Princess, Cecile.

While reports are flying about Germany that the former Crown Prince, William, is considering entering the lists for election to the presidency of the German republic, adherents of the prince are denying the story, and waiting for definite word from William, who is living in exile at his estate near Oels, Silesia. All of his family are now with him. His adherents preface their denials of his intention to seek the presidency with explanations that for William to thus acknowledge the German Republic would be for him to forever renounce his rights to the dormant throne.

TOURNAMENT NEAR FINAL LAP NOW

Seven Boys Teams and Ten
Girls Teams Left
In Competition

Seven boys and then ten girls teams left in the field of competition for awards in the annual district and invitation basketball conference which will be concluded in the playing off of the finals Saturday night at the Colgate court.

From an array of contenders from all corners of the East Central district the field of competition had simmered down to a few of the select teams that had withstood the assault of a batter of smaller teams of the district.

Out of the seven boys teams and ten girls teams winners in semifinals will be picked tomorrow and pitted in the final round of the tournament Saturday night.

At 3 o'clock today the following teams were still undefeated and in the race for the double trophy of the tournament: boys—Ada, Atoka, Stonewall, Allen, Boggs, Preston and Okemah; girls—Colgate, Stonewall, Ada, Purcell, McLeod, Sasakawa, Preston, Calvin, Okemah and Kavlva.

Out of the forty-nine teams scheduled to start off the play in the tournament only the victorious seventeen teams from the boys and girls division remain to demand the attention of conference officials tomorrow.

In the Ada Hi and Purcell girls game tonight, fans will be permitted to see two of the fastest teams of the tournament in action in addition to four other games scheduled for play tonight.

According to Athletic Director M. Z. Thompson, competition has been to a heat stage in several of the games already played and fans have been permitted to see some of the best high school teams of the state in action.

In two of the games played this morning protests were offered and both teams declared winners in order that the competition could be equally distributed and teams under protest were re-assigned and entered into the tournament play.

According to Director Thompson, the representation at the tournament is general over the district, teams coming here from practically every part of this section of the state. Atoka high school is sending a team to Ada for the first time after having taken part in the Durant tournament heretofore.

McADOO TO OPPOSE UNDERWOOD IN GEORGIA PRIMARIES

CHICAGO, March 15.—William G. McAdoo will enter the presidential primary against Underwood in Georgia. The full details of his plans have not been completed for this the first campaign launched by the McAdoo forces. McAdoo and Underwood are the only presidential candidates entered in the Georgia primary scheduled for March 19.

U. D. C. Entertainment Off.

On account of the revivals at the First Baptist church and Nazarene church and the Kansas City Little Symphony, the U. D. C. Chapter will not entertain March 20th as planned. A future date will be announced.

Shrine Committee Visits Nobles in Adjoining County

Continuation of the campaign of the Pontotoc County Shrine club to the Colgate yesterday resulted in the signing of many names on the petition for the designation of the Delphi Temple at Ada.

A committee of Shriners motored to Centrahoma, Tupelo, Colgate and other Coal county stops to pick up the signatures of all in this vicinity.

The Shrine committee reports that everybody is anxious to sign the name on the dotted line and help bring the Temple to Ada.

CHILDREN TO BE REVIVAL GUESTS

Special Childrens Program
Tonight at Moore's
Revival

There will be a special children's program tonight at the Nazarene church under the direction of Prof. James E. Campbell, the singer, soloist and children's worker in the Moore Evangelistic party. It is a wonderful program and will be a great inspiration to those who attend. The Evangelistic Party will have a wonderful service at Convention Hall Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Prof. Campbell will render several great numbers and Dr. Moore will speak on the special theme "Hard Kuts for Scorpions to Crack." Dr. Moore spoke last night on "The Tree of Hell's Half Acre" and several were converted.

The evangelist said: "This is an age of scepticism, speculation and conjecture. This is especially true concerning the doctrine of eternal punishment. The advocates of the new theology are trying to pull the sting out of death, pain out of punishment, inspiration out of revelation, the supernatural out of religion and hell out of Hades."

"But after all the speculation the soul is immortal and will always live somewhere. If the soul is not immortal, then human life is a farce, our moral nature a lie, our desires are deceptive, our aspirations are false, our hopes mendacious. Thrones may totter and crumble into dust; empires and kingdoms may pass away; nature may grow old and palsied and drop the universe from his fingers and the long night of chaos set in; yet the soul with individual and conscious immortality will stand amid the whirl of cycles and the roll of the ages upon the rock of its own imperishable existence and defy eternity to annihilate it. Death may separate soul and body. It may unfasten the chord that binds the two together, the eyes may flash their last scintillations of intelligence and their fires expire, but the soul will live on somewhere. Then where will you spend eternity?"

Falls to Death.

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, March 7.—Dr. Carlos de Monde, composer and orchestra leader from San Francisco, jumped or fell to his death from the roof of a 15 story building at West End avenue today.

DENY RUMORS OF OFFICIAL DEFRAUD

Maryland and Kentucky Sol-
on Maintain no Fraud
In Their Duties

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—Representative Langley, Republican, Kentucky, on the floor of house demanded an investigation today of published charges that he had received money for exerting official influence.

In a five minute speech Mr. Langley emphatically denied that he had been guilty of wrong doing. He was cheered by the house when he concluded his appeal for "a square deal." "In the presence of Almighty God and these witnesses," the Kentucky representative shouted, "I have committed no crime, have done no wrong and confidently rely on speedy vindication at the hands of my colleagues."

"I come from the Kentucky mountain district where people value honor more than human life," he said. "Naturally I shall ask an inquiry, if the report from the department of justice contains my name."

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Representatives Langley and Kentucky republicans, denied today they ever had improperly exercised their official influence and received money for doing so.

Their denials followed the publication of their names in connection with the recent report of the Chicago grand jury that two members of congress were misusing their offices.

Both representatives said they had heard rumors that they were implicated and had discussed the matter with newspaper men but they declared they had received no official information that they were involved in the case. They were emphatic in asserting they would prove their innocence beyond any doubt if charges were preferred against them.

Representative Langley is chairman of the house public buildings committee and representative of the Tenth Kentucky district. His home is at Pikeville. Representative Zihlman is chairman of the labor committee and representative of the Sixth Maryland district. He lives at Cumberland.

NOT ENOUGH MEMBERS
PRESENT TO TAKE ACTION

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—The joint house and senate committee which was to have met today to set a date for sine die adjournment of the special session of the state legislature, failed to obtain a quorum and the meeting was postponed until Monday.

It was stated in unofficial circles reports at the capitol that March 15 probably will be the date agreed upon.

Opposition to Reduction.

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—Opposition developed in both houses of congress today to the proposal for immediate reduction of rates of 25 percent on personal income taxes payable this year.

DAUGHERTY QUIET ON DEMANDS FOR HIS RESIGNATION

Attorney General Refuses to
Shed New Light on
Washington Scene

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA

Daugherty Hastens to Cabinet
Meeting; Claims no Mention
Of Resignation

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—Attorney General Daugherty would make no statement upon his arrival today from Florida. He went directly from the station to the cabinet meeting.

"I am feeling better than I have for five years," said the attorney general, "although I notice in the papers that I am reported to be a very sick man."

The attorney general's return to Washington brought him personally into the midst of the new crisis in his cabinet status.

The suddenness of his return from Miami where his wife is ill has not been explained, but it is noted that his return coincides with the time of the weekly cabinet meeting.

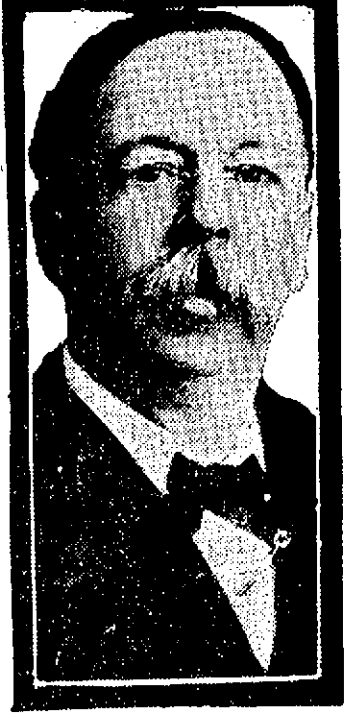
He came back to a situation even more tense than it had been just before he rushed from the White House a little more than a week ago to catch his train for Chicago enroute to Miami after apparently convincing President Coolidge that he should be permitted to retain his post until after the senate investigation of his administration.

The president today was in a position to fill his place on short notice. The eligibles are former Senator Kenyon of Iowa, federal circuit judge, Chief Justice Wilber of California, Federal District Judge Dietrich of Idaho. In addition Governor Groesbeck of Michigan also has been mentioned for the post. He conferred with the president yesterday and had another engagement with him today.

The attorney general was met at the station by two secret service agents of the department of justice, who accompanied him as he drove away from the station.

Mr. Daugherty arrived at the White House just in time for the 10:30 o'clock cabinet meeting. He declined to be stopped by questioners as he hurried through the lobby of the executive offices to the cabinet room where some of his colleagues already were waiting. The meeting was completed in a little more than half an hour. The first members who left said the question of Mr. Daugherty's retirement had not been discussed. When Mr. Daugherty emerged later he said he could hardly answer the question as to whether the situation in Washington as it affected him had changed since his departure for Florida.

Daugherty Aid



George E. Chamberlain, former senator from Oregon, retained by Harry Daugherty, attorney-general of the United States, as personal counsel, is representing Daugherty's interests in connection with the probe of the affairs of the attorney-general being considered by the senate. Acting with him is Paul Howland, Cleveland attorney.

MANY CLAIM PART IN CITY POLITICS

Final Day of Filing Gets
Many Contender for
City Offices

The Old Dobbins of city politics and the new colts, who will try their legs in the first political sweepstakes, stretched out for the open spaces today at the close of the period for filing for city offices.

The race track of city politics will be wedged to the grandstand when voters of the city go to the polls on March 18 to cast their bets on the winners in the race for final representation in the heated city race for office.

The last hours of the final day for filing saw many new names on the register for the voters to confront when reading the official ballot on March 18. Last minute entries swelled the list until all offices left open for contention had two or more contestants in the race.

The political fever accompanying the approaching election in interest of grass roots support since the race for county offices will not be opened until an early date in May, according to Secretary McKeel.

While the three principal races of the coming political sweepstakes lies with the mayor, finance commissioner and public works commissioner, especially is the interest keen in the mad scramble for favor in the race for commissioner of public works and property under which column, six candidates have pledged themselves in harness and signed their willingness to pace the length of the track that will carry them to the final goal.

Claim Varied Support

Among the candidates for this office as well as the other major offices of the coming primaries are candidates who claim support from every possible organization in Ada and other remain more conservatively and claim no especial prestige for their candidacy.

The first lap of the race which is now throbbing down to a mad heat started several weeks ago with the filing of the first candidate for city office. The entrants have been many since that time and the close of the filing period today finds more interest in city politics than shown in a number of years.

According to the official files of Secretary Sam A. McKeel, the following have filed in order for city offices:

Mayor—W. H. Fisher, D. W. Swaffar and Homer Jones.

Commissioner of Public Works—Henry Kroth, J. D. Bennett, Walter S. Smith, O. F. Davidson, George W. Young and G. E. Branscome.

Commissioner of Accounting and Finance—Charles Deaver and Clint Miers.

Board of Education—Ward 2—Robert H. Bradley, Robert F. Wilborn and Gus Cunningham.

Ward 3—L. Warr and J. M. Thompson.

Outlying districts—William L. Whitaker and W. S. Kerr.

Treasurer of Board—Bally M. Bobbitt and Leonard H. Braly.

In the summer the descendants of a single fly will number 2,080,320.

HIGH COURT NOT TO HEAR CHARGE AGAINST BOLEN

State Supreme Court Refuses
Jurisdiction in Bolen
Ouster Case

BARRY INFORMS COURT

Former Governor Robertson
Defends Bolen Before
State High Court

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—The state supreme court today declined to assume original jurisdiction in the ouster action against Judge J. W. Bolen of Ada.

The decision was announced by Chief Justice Johnson shortly after the conclusion of the hearing of the petition by the attorney general to file original action asking Bolen's removal.

John Barry, assistant attorney general acting for the attorney general's office and in obedience to a resolution by the lower house of the state legislature, told the court it would be impossible to obtain a fair hearing in Pontotoc county on charges of being addicted to use of intoxicants and on being incompetent; that Bolen had made his campaign slogan one to the effect that no mortgages would foreclose during his term, thereby inspiring a following that makes it impossible for the state to receive a fair and impartial trial. Barry said.

Former Governor J. B. A. Robertson, counsel for Bolen, attacked the validity of the so-called attorney general act of the Oklahoma statutes and also the house resolution authorizing the attorney general to proceed against Bolen.

Robertson claimed there was no grounds for a change of venue from Pontotoc county. He charged the prosecution with trying to "get rid of Bolen lawfully or unlawfully" and contended that should the supreme court take jurisdiction in the it would establish "a most dangerous precedent."

"If an ignorant and incompetent legislature can dictate to the judicial branch of the government what is to prevent it from dictating to the executive and all branches of the government even to the most menial official?" Robertson asked.

"Are you going to make him prove his innocence? That is what he would have to do if the attorney general is sustained."

Robertson in summing up the argument declared there is no basis for action against Bolen.

THORN CONTINUES REVIVAL SUCCESS

Largest Crowd of Services
Hear Evangelist in
Last Night Sermon

The largest crowd since Sunday was present at the revival meeting in progress at the First Baptist church last night. Mr. Harris led the choir in singing many of the good gospel hymns. A quartet composed of Mr. Harris, J. C. Treadwell, J. L. Huber, and Jim Chapman, rendered a number that was greatly enjoyed by the congregation.

The evangelist brought one of his greatest messages on the subject, "Sowing and Reaping." He took for his text the passage which reads, "Be not deceived, God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man sows that shall he also reap." It was a message which mightily stirred the congregation.

The service this morning was well attended at which time the preacher spoke on the subject, "Launching out in the deep." The largest crowds are attending the morning services that ever have attended a revival meeting in the church. The preacher is certainly bringing some great messages and it is confidently believed that we are going to have a great meeting.

Sunday morning the evangelist will speak to the Mens Bible Class at the McSwain theatre at 10:15 and will preach at the church at 11 o'clock and at 7:30.

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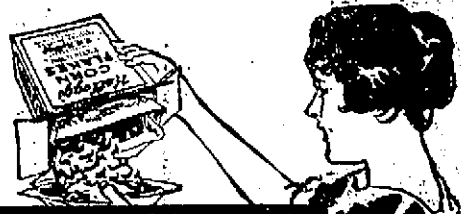
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Gwin & Mays Drug Store.

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Baptist to Hold Vacation School.

(By the Associated Press.)
ARDMORE.—Plans are being made by the members of the Broadway Baptist church for conducting a Vacation School, it was announced yesterday by Rev. R. L. Davidson, pastor, the church.
Instruction in Bible story teaching will be the outstanding purpose of the school. Additional subjects scheduled to be featured are: Basket weaving, mothercraft and a charm class. Many other interesting classes will be added, it is understood.
The school will be opened about the middle of June and will continue one month.

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TO TOUR WHEAT BELT FOR PASSAGE OF BILL

(By the Associated Press.)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 7.—C. H. Hyde, Alva, vice-president of the Farmers Union and W. H. Greevy, Wichita, Kans., secretary-treasurer of the American Wheat Growers association, will tour the wheat belt of northwest Oklahoma, beginning March 8, speaking in the interests of the McNary-Haughen farm relief bill, according to Mr. Hyde.

McNary-Haughen bill creates a government export corporation, to buy wheat, corn, cattle, hogs and their finished products at a price based on the monetary exchange value of 1905-1914, Mr. Hyde explained.

Hyde and McGreevy will open their speaking campaign at Medford, March 8, after which they will speak at the following places: Alva, March 10; Cherokee, March 11; Fairview, March 12; Blackwell, March 13.

It is not the market price of farm products that means a profit or loss to the farmer, Hyde said.

"It is the exchangeable value of farm products as compared with the things the farmer buys that affects his welfare," he declared.

"Before the world war when wheat was selling at 60 and 70 cents a bushel, one bushel of wheat would buy twice as much of other commodities that the farmer needed as it will now."

The enactment of the legislation will mean an increase of \$30,000,000 annually to the wheat, corn and livestock men of Oklahoma, Mr. Hyde estimated.

YEARLY COLLEGE COSTS REACH HIGH FIGURES

(By the Associated Press.)
ST. LOUIS, March 7.—Increases in tuition, board, room and fees, rather than in the amount spent by students for books, dues, contributions and incidentals, are responsible for the rise in the cost of attending college, according to a survey made by the St. Louis branch of the American Association of University Women.

A study of "catalogue expense" covering the fixed charges as set by the college authorities and of "extra-catalogue expense," which included all other expenses of the school year excepting clothing and railroad fare, was made in 114 colleges and universities.

The average catalogue expense for the institutions studied was \$486.04. The average extra-catalogue expense was \$190.25, which means that the average college woman spends \$676 every school year, according to the report.

The committee made the investigation as an aid to parents, to educational and vocational counselors, to administrators of scholarship and loan funds and to others who need to budget the expense attending a co-ed while she is in school.

ROCKY CHAPEL.

Artie Smith is on the sick list this week.
Singing Thursday night was enjoyed by all who were there. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lynn and Horace Lynn of Ada were among the visitors.

The play party at Mr. and Mrs. Edd Chapman's Saturday night was enjoyed by all who attended. We hope they will give another one soon.

Dibrell Ledbetter and Orel Clamplitt of Ada came to singing Thursday night.

Myrtle and Dibrell Ledbetter took dinner with Jewell Chapman Sunday.

Ruth Price and Edith Sparks called on Gladys and Ruby Fussell Sunday.

Ruth Price, Ruby Fussell, Haskell and Orel Price and Horace Lynn attended prayer meeting at Lawrence Sunday evening.

Mrs. Henry Clamplitt spent the week-end with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Wyche spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith.

Gertrude Creech took supper with Gladys Fussell Saturday night.

Lillian and Myrtle Smith and Gertrude Creech spent the week-end with home folks.

Birdie Creech spent Saturday with Opal Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spears and John Spears spent a few hours Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Chapman.

Mrs. Votaw's folks are up from the meagles.

Ida and Delphia Smith and Gladys Fussell spent Friday evening with Olin Votaw.

Mrs. Votaw spent Sunday night with Mrs. Conda Smith.

Van and Grant Herrin are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Sylvia Sizemore spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Martin Phillips.

Beryl Phillips was in Ada Saturday.

Birdie and Lillian Matherly spent Saturday with their grandmother.

Bud Creech was in Ada Friday.

Lois Phillips spent Sunday evening with Reba Holliman.

Birdie Creech spent Sunday with her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Henry Creech.—Lonesome.

English Humor Scores in Havana.

(By the Associated Press.)
HAVANA.—The "Wybadilly," a stock little vessel built along the lines of a tug, lay in Havana harbor taking on a cargo of liquor. "What's that name mean?" shouted an inquisitive American from a passing rowboat. "Will you buy a drink if I tell you?" yelled back a grinning member of the crew.

The "Wybadilly" which flies the British flag, pulled out subsequently with some 6,000 cases of liquor and her clearance papers indicated she was bound for West End, a port in the British West Indies.

QUITS CAREER AS PASTOR TO PURSUE FAME ON DIAMOND



John Blake.

John F. Blake started out on a career in the pulpit, but changed his mind and now is on the high road to becoming a master workman in the Chicago vineyard. Scribes at the Chicago National camp at Catalina Island, Calif., are impressed with his work. John doesn't have much to say about his ministerial experiences, but he is certain that the diamond is his intended life work now.

CITY ATTORNEYS TAKE STAND ON TAX LEVY

(By the Associated Press.)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Mayor O. A. Carrill announced today that city attorneys from 60 cities in Oklahoma affected by a decision this week by the state supreme court invalidating part of the Oklahoma City tax levy as being in excess of the legal limit, will meet here to discuss means of meeting the situation created by the decision.

The mayor said that means of raising revenue must be devised in order to maintain city governments on an efficient basis.

COUNTY FAMILY INCREASED BY TWO NEW BOARDERS

The county family under the watchful care of jailer was increased by two new occupants this morning. Undersheriff P. H. Deal stated. E. R. Williams of the Washington vicinity was placed in the county bastille on a charge of larceny of a horse. Buster I. Anderson of Stone-wall was arrested and remanded to the county jail on charges of wife desertion and hot checking.

PAID UP INSURANCE IS NEW BONUS PROVISION

(By the Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—Paid up insurance was decided upon as a provision of the soldiers bonus bill today by the House ways and means committee.

Provisions of the bill passed at the last session and votes by President Harding for vocational training and farm or home aid were definitely eliminated but the option for cash payments will stand.

DAVENPORT ARRAIGNED ON DIVERTING FUNDS CHARGE

(By the Associated Press.)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Dr. A. E. Davenport, former state health commissioner, pleaded not guilty and waived preliminary hearing when arraigned here today before a justice of the peace on five charges of diverting public funds.

J. C. Walton, deposed governor, and T. P. Edwards, alleged to have been Walton's chauffeur, will be arraigned late today on similar charges.

Dr. Davenport was released on his old bond of \$5,000.

JAPAN SOON TO ENJOY BROADCASTING BY RADIO

(By the Associated Press.)
TOKIO.—Radio broadcasting is to be commenced next month in Japan where hitherto communications have been strictly limited by the government. Like commercial radio, the broadcasting will be under stringent government regulations.

At first the department of communications will undertake the activity on a limited scale from stations in Tokyo and Osaka only. Some months later, it is believed, the first independent station will be established here.

Receiving instruments will not be permitted to be carried about, as is often done in America, though they may be attached permanently to vehicles or boats. During the day hours music and entertainment features will not be permitted in the air. The rule, however, may be relaxed on Sundays and national holidays.

Buy it—rent it—sell it—find it with a NEWS WANT AD.

To Late to Classify

FOR RENT—6 room modern house, 419 West 17th. W. T. Melton.

AHMES GROTTO-OUT FOR SPREE AT ARDMORE

ARMORE.—March 17 will be a holiday in Ardmore, so far as Ahmes Grotto is concerned, it was decided at the regular meeting, Wednesday evening, which was well attended. A large number of petitions were read and accepted and each prophet was pledged to secure at least one candidate.

F. O. McLean, chairman of the parade committee, stated that a number of merchants and automobile dealers have been called upon and all had signified their willingness to participate by placing a decorated car or float in the big parade.

George Davis, chairman of the stunt committee, reported that his committeemen had worked out some very unique stunts, something new and interesting in the way of street work. George says that it will be different from the hoodlum wagon or the bear cage, but that he could not tell what they were.

The patrol, band and the east, each report everything in readiness and at the same time, Secretary D. K. Medford reports that the country is being scoured in search of candidates.

OKMULGEE MAY BE FEDERAL COURT TOWN

OKMULGEE.—Okmulgee may be named as one of the seats of the new federal district court over which Justice Kenamer will preside, it became known today and members and directors of the Chamber of Commerce were active today seeking to influence the selection of Okmulgee as one of the court towns of the new district. In an interview several days ago with Justice Kenamer, Claude Cain learned that he favored both Okmulgee and Bartlesville as federal court towns.

A bill authorizing the establishing of the new federal district court, assigning the territory in which it will have jurisdiction and naming the cities in which the court will sit is now pending in congress. The Chamber of Commerce will make all efforts possible to have Okmulgee named as one of the towns in which the new district court will hold court.

CITY TO PURCHASE PARK SITE PROPERTY

ARDMORE.—As soon as the deed to the property recently purchased by the city for a tourist camp has been delivered, work of equipping the park will begin, according to a statement of City Manager W. G. Donk, Wednesday afternoon.

Just what these improvements will consist of has not been planned but the city manager asserted every thing possible would be done to make the park inviting, and a good advertisement for the city.

There is a good house on the property at present, and this may be remodeled to meet requirements of the park.

Other buildings will be erected, and gas furnaces installed for cooking purposes. These will probably be equipped with individual meters and each camper required to pay for fuel used.

Twenty Names Added To Ardmore Chamber Of Commerce in Drive

ARDMORE.—Twenty new names were added to the membership rolls of the Chamber of Commerce by members of the drive committee who reported last night.

The committee started early today and expect to make a very favorable report by tonight.

The drive will come to an official close tomorrow at noon when the committee will assemble at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce for luncheon.

No effort will be spared to secure the name of every business man and property owner in the city on the rolls.

It was reported early today that success was attending the work of the committee who are encouraged over the prospect for recruiting the club to adequate strength to carry out the program for a greater and better Ardmore.

Alaska College Has 60 Students.
FAIRBANKS, Alaska.—The Alaska Agricultural college and school of mines, believed to be the farthest north college in the world, has re-elected Charles Ernest Bunnell president. Mr. Bunnell, former federal judge here, founded the institution 16 months ago. It has an enrollment of 60 students.

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appeared—Is Now 73 Years
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trouble had brought me down where neither myself nor anyone else thought I could live six months longer.

"Within two days after I started on Tanlac I felt a wonderful change, coming over me. A few bottles of the medicine had me feeling as well as anybody, and it has kept me in good health ever since. I am now 73, but I can get out and work with the best of the youngsters. I owe my health and happiness, if not my very life, to Tanlac."

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Round Steak, per pound.....	20c
Short Cuts, per pound.....	15c
T-Bone Steaks, per pound.....	20c
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Other meats in proportion.	

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2-pound Carton.....	57c
3-pound Carton.....	79c

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Hear These Men Sunday at Convention Hall

Promptly at 3 o'clock

Rev. J. E. L. Moore, A. M., D. D., ex-president of Olivet University, speaks at Convention Hall Sunday at 3 p. m.
Subject:

"HARD NUTS FOR SKEPTICS TO CRACK"

Men, Women, boys and girls cordially invited.

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAM

You will enjoy the singing of Professor and Mrs. J. E. Campbell.

These men are now conducting a revival at the Nazarene church.

Business Announcement

I am back in Ada to stay, and have purchased Mr. Oliver's interest in the filling station and tire shop on North Broadway. From now on the firm will be known as Nettles & Nettles. I want to see all my old friends and new ones as well.

LEE NETTLES

Murder Will Out

By MORRIS SCHULTZ

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HENDERSON had resolved to kill Smith some day. He was in no particular hurry about it, because he had planned it all out, and it had become inevitable in his mind that Smith must die.

There were several things between the two men, but the principal one of them was that Henderson hated Smith. The two were farmers, and they had always been enemies.

Henderson was shrewd enough to know that however cleverly he concealed his tracks suspicion would fall on him. But he was willing to be suspected. The law requires proof, and so long as he could fall short of the ultimate of proof he did not care.

He chose a snowy, stormy night for the deed. The two houses were about a mile apart. A road ran past them. There was a multitude of tracks in the road, and it would be easy enough to slip into the house and kill Smith. The falling snow would quickly cover up his footprints.

Henderson took his ax and started. No one was on the road. The wind was almost a hurricane, and it blew furious blasts of sleet into Henderson's face.

But at last he saw the light of Smith's cottage. Smith had lived alone since his daughter had married and moved into town. Quietly Henderson crept to the window and looked in. And then Henderson heard the sound of footsteps in the stable.

Smith kept two horses and a cow. Creeping softly to the building which housed all three, Henderson saw the faint outlines of Smith's figure. He was bending down beside the cow, which was uttering low, plaintive calls. No doubt she had taken sick.

Henderson raised his ax and brought it down with a fearful crash upon Smith's back. It sank right in, and he felt the bones sever.

Smith tumbled to the floor of the shed without uttering a sound. Only the cow continued to moo plaintively.

Henderson made his way back to the road and house. Arriving, he washed his ax, being careful to remove all fingerprints, and went to bed. That night he slept the sleep of the just.

He was up early next morning. The snow was still falling. There was no doubt that his tracks were completely covered. Everything was safe.

About nine o'clock there came a knock at the door. Henderson opened, to find the sheriff standing there.

"Come in," he said eagerly. "Just finished breakfast. A cup of coffee, sheriff?"

The sheriff declined. "There's been bad business up to Smith's place," he said.

"So?"

"Yeah. Murder," answered the sheriff.

Henderson's start was admirably feigned. "Smith—murdered?" he gasped.

The sheriff did not reply directly. "I was wonderin' if you knew anything about it, Mr. Henderson," he answered.

"Are you accusing me of murdering Smith?" demanded Henderson in a tone of injured innocence.

"Nope—not yet. But there's a party seen some one slinking round the Henderson place with an ax last night. Lemme look at your ax, Mr. Henderson," he went on.

"You'll find it in the woodshed," answered Henderson with an indifferent shrug. "But if you mean to accuse me—"

The sheriff went out without making any reply. Presently he came back.

"This ax has been scoured," he said. "And there's rust on the blade."

"Chopping in the snow," said Henderson, feeling as if a pit opened suddenly beneath him.

The sheriff put his hand on his shoulder. "It's no use, Henderson," he said. "We've got you dead to rights, so you'd better come through. You're under arrest for killing."

"I swear I didn't," Henderson began to babble. "It's a lie, sheriff, and no man can prove it."

"For killing Smith's new-born calf," continued the sheriff. "And Smith's the evidence. He was watching you in the stable."

"Beauty and Car Seats."

"There are many pretty girls in this country," remarked Bluebell, herself listed as no bad looker by competent judges.

"I own up to it," responded her chum, Ariadne.

"The musical shows team with them. The movies require them. You see them in stores, in offices—everywhere. Yes, this country is full of beautiful girls. But—"

"But what?"

"It would take Helen of Troy to get a seat on a street car now," Atlanta Journal.

All That Was Necessary.

The young man was fondling her right hand.

"A nice diamond," he said, awkwardly. "Diamonds are beautiful stones, but on the other hand—"

"Oh, Jack," she murmured, "you make me so happy."

Between Girls.

Louise—Do you know, at the ball the other night Mr. Lovingsham called me a dream?

Edna—Oh! Now I understand better what he meant when he told me he suffered so much from nightmares.

There is no substitute for individual interest in government and individual responsibility for government.

NEW BRITISH PREMIER SNAPPED WITH LABOR AIDES



Seated (left to right): Arthur Henderson, Ramsay MacDonald, C. T. Cramp and Sidney Webb. Standing, second from left, is J. R. Clynes.

Headquarters of the Labor party in England has become the seat of government in the British empire with the ascendancy of J. Ramsay MacDonald to the premiership. This photo shows a typical pow-wow of labor leaders. It was taken but a few days ago.

PREACHERS OF FAME TO CARRY GOSPEL TO VAST AREA OF UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Based on the conviction that if the people will not go to church the church must go to the people, a great religious movement is being organized by the National Cathedral Foundation. A college of preachers to be established at the National Cathedral here, for which a country-wide fund of \$10,000,000 is being assembled, and from this a religious revival akin to that of Peter the Hermit, the Crowley Fathers and General Booth is to be directed.

The Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D. D., Episcopal bishop of Washington, is now preparing with other leaders to launch the evangelical enterprise this summer, with the first sessions of the College of Preachers. This embodiment of the church militant in a vigorous campaign for Christ through preaching, publicity and organization, will typify spiritually to America itself, where Woodrow Wilson lies buried, will mean materially as a great religious shrine and, in fact, an American Westminster Abbey, where the nation's honored dead will sleep.

In the forefront of the nation wide preaching renaissance to carry real religion to the man in the street, and to meet the challenge that Christianity has failed, is Monell-Sayre, trustee of the Church Pension Fund and pension advisor to the Church of England, whose

brochure, made public today, outlines the argument for the preaching mission.

Mr. Sayre's indictment of Christianity's failure to influence average men and women is summed up in his opening paragraph thus:

"Christianity has lost its hold on the masses of the people. The industrial classes have ceased to be influenced by it. It has sunk into a concern of the so-called middle and upper classes. This is a condition which, if allowed to continue, means that Christianity in America will soon enter definitely into the status of a decaying religion."

To counteract this decay and bring a natural and healthy religious growth to the everyday American, Mr. Sayre proposes a movement to carry to "the spiritual nature of the average man. He warns against the delusive appearances of apparent material prosperity in the churches, and points out that the "danger of the practical overthrow of Christianity is the product of many causes, operating through many years." Among these he lists "insistence that some favorite theory is essential to a following of Christ; emphasis on the relatively unimportant instead of on Christ Himself; emphasis on the material side of conduct instead of on an elevation of our spiritual strength; and the inability of the Church to

day to exhibit and maintain these high standards of Christian morality of which it is the guardian and trustee."

"The parish church is 'the only instrumentality of Christianity seriously and effectively at work today,' Mr. Sayre maintains. A revival of preaching is not needed in the parish church, he points out, but be planned solely to reach those who cannot otherwise be won."

The presentation of the Christ alone to the people, wherever they may be assembled, devoid of the pomp and power of the pulpit and ceremony, is the nucleus of the program. High intelligence, training, and the power to sway vast multitudes are requisites of the men who are to be on the firing line with a "Twentieth Century message" and able to handle debate. An up-to-date Saint Francis, with his band of preachers "fired with the spirit of evangelism, gifted with the power of speech, and trained in all the arts of persuasion" would endeavor to Christianize America at mass meetings, conferences, gatherings of all sorts, in theatres, halls, in university studies, in the highways and by-ways of great cities, and anywhere and everywhere that men and women can be assembled to listen, under the preaching revival. These preachers would renew their own strength at the National Cathedral, where teachers capable of "adding new fire to their zeal" would preside and the hope is expressed that preachers of churches other than the Episcopal will be enlisted in the cause.

"Oh, Me! Our teacher said we come from monkeys." She's wrong. Our folks came from Wales."

AGGIE MATMEN FACE REAL TEST

Missouri Valley Competition Expected to Bring Out Best in School

STILLWATER, Okla., March 7.—(Special)—Because Oklahoma A. and M. college wrestlers have been pointed to win at the annual Missouri Valley conference mat tournament at Ames this week-end, Aggie fans are anticipating a great showing by their favorite grapplers, despite their opposition by thirteen other strong teams.

Before leaving Stillwater for the northern trip, Coach Ed Gallagher said he had kept in mind all season the valley competition and had prepared his men accordingly. At that, the Aggies were not defeated this year.

Gallagher would not predict an outcome at Ames, but did not conceal his faith in his team.

The fact that a squad of seven men, one for each weight class, was taken to the tournament is considered in Stillwater as a prime factor in a favorable Aggie showing. Second and third places will be counted. Two or three first places, plus a few seconds and thirds, will be enough to win the meet, the A. and M. fans believe.

Three Oklahoma Aggie matmen who go to the mat Friday afternoon and Saturday are almost sure winners in the eyes of their followers. They are Cliff Keen, 158 pounds; Jess Rollart, 125 pounds, and Lloyd English, 115 pounds. Keen and Rollart have won Southwest conference titles two years, never having been defeated. English, working on the mat this winter for the first time as a varsity

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man, is another Aggie title holder in the conference. He won the state high school title when at Altna high. Gerald Northrip, 145 pounds, another new man on the Aggie squad and a 1924 Southwest winner, is another good bet in the Ames affair, as is Claude Vincent, 135, runner-up in the title race, who is a former Stillwater high school champion of the state.

Other Aggies entered are Capt. Lynn Reid, 175 pounds, a three-year man, and Ed Roberts, the heavyweight.

French Expenditures Decrease As Receipts from Taxes Grow

PARIS.—The French economic situation is shown in a series of tables in La Matin, furnished by Emmanuel Evain, Chairman of the auditing committee of the Chamber of Deputies. The principal tables are those of civil and military expenditures and receipts from taxation.

The former shows a steady decrease from 1919, when the total was 35,345,000,000 francs; to 1923, when the total was 23,755,000,000 francs. Receipts from taxes increased from 9,707,000,000 francs in 1919 to (estimated) 23,437,000,000 francs in 1923.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

IF MY PEOPLE, which are called by My name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My face; and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.—Chronicles 7: 14.

A WORTH WHILE ENDEAVOR

Many of the merchants and bankers of Ada are financing a campaign for more trade in Ada. The campaign promises to be successful, and will prove beneficial not only to the business men themselves but to the public in general and to the individuals affected in particular.

The claim that mail order houses make in reference to cheapness of products is fictitious. They advertise cheap goods as high priced goods, and often times shoddy is put off for new wool. People buy from the foreign houses without knowing what they are buying, and are often badly stung in the deal.

The local business men have large stocks, charge fair prices, and help make the country. When people get into trouble, they do not go to the mail order houses for help, but often go to the men who operate stores and factories and feel that they are entitled to help. Many times these same people do not patronize the business men from whom they ask aid.

Another thing people should remember it that taxes are necessary for the maintenance of our schools and government. The business men do their part in this, and every dollar spent at home helps maintain these features of our modern life.

The business men of Ada do not ask or expect any one to trade with them at a sacrifice, for they know they meet and more than meet in price the competition of mail order houses. They are fair and square and are willing to make good any error.

To have a city we must have manufacturing plants and retail and wholesale establishments. You can do your bit by buying from your friends and neighbors. The money will come back to you, and you will be doubly paid by establishing friendly relations with your neighbors.

Let's buy from Ada merchants and buy Ada manufactured products.

The life underwriters of Ada are to be commended for their step in organizing an association for the purpose of fellowship and boosting life insurance in general. The world is coming to recognize that life insurance is just as much a necessity as a home. Some person has said that the man with a family and with little or no property is guilty of criminal neglect if he dies without insurance, provided he is physically capable of getting it. This may be a bit strong, but insurance is the leveling force in the economic world. It keeps families from being on the charity list and keeps business going after the executive has passed away.

The oil row has obscured the Forbes graft in the veterans bureau to a considerable extent but this promises to be revealed as one of the most stupendous pieces of graft on record when the case is aired in court. It is charged that the crooks got away with some \$200,000,000 of money that was intended to relieve the distress of the disabled war veterans. Human suffering counts little with some hounds in the form of men when weighed against money.

The shirt factory that operates with convict labor in the state penitentiary appears to be in the middle of a bad fix. In the Walton impeachment trial evidence was brought out tending to show that officials of the company contributed handsomely to Walton's campaign fund. The fact is the shirt men well knew that it was not safe to let the campaign go by and not contribute. Now, however, the legislature threatens to cancel the contract because of the contributions.

The Tulsa Tribune, following a round of grand opera in Tulsa, strongly advocates some grand opera in English. Well, why not? We see no reason to ignore our own language for that used by some long haired composer. We don't pretend to know anything about music, but we will take our singing in English, if you please, therefore, we second the Tribune's motion.

And now they are telling it on Premier Macdonald, Britain's labor government leader, that he has not done manual labor since he was 20 years old. If that is the case he does not differ much from the majority of the leaders of farmer and labor political parties in the United States. It is not often that one of these office seekers on labor or farmer tickets is either a laborer or a farmer, yet they get by with a good deal of their bunk sometimes.

Perhaps President Coolidge tells the entire truth about his telegrams to McLean, but even then one must admit that he was not very choice about his associates. Perhaps his case is like that of old Tray in the blue back spell.

Of the 434 members of the lower house of congress 373 are members of some church. The Methodist lead with 119 and the list gradually dwindles down to one in the case of three or four dominions.

A MAN IN THE MAKING



CALIFORNIA COURT WINS APPROBATION

Court for Poor Litigants Prove Success in Short Period

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Legal "hokus-pokus" has been eliminated in San Francisco's small claim court, where the poor man gets justice, according to President Judge A. T. Barnett of the local justice courts.

The court was established two and a half years ago through action of the California legislature. It was intended to afford individuals unacquainted with legal maneuvering an opportunity to collect small but just debts. It is not necessary to have a lawyer to appear in this court. All cases are for disputes involving less than \$500.

"It is called by many the 'Jim-Jim' court," said Judge Barnett, "because Bill and Jim come here, present their cases and have them settled without delay, great expense or legal technicalities."

Since the court was established it has heard more than 5,000 "Jim-Bill" cases. Cases that never would get into other courts because of the expense of hiring lawyers, filing fees, etc., enter here because these things are eliminated. This information has become so popular that five judges spend three days a week handling small claim cases.

Every human emotion comes before this court. Humor, pathos, envy and greed pass in review. Judge Barnett described one case as follows:

"Recently there was a case that brought both tears and smiles. An old street sweeper was in court. He had paid \$35 for a set of false teeth which he claimed did not fit, and he wanted his money back from the dentist. He brought the teeth with him. He took them from his pocket amid flutters and guffaws from court officials and spectators. He proved they did not fit. It seemed funny to the audience and to me also, but only for a moment.

"The old man told me the money was the last of his savings and that he and his wife had made many sacrifices of actual necessities to buy those teeth. The wife was present. This was tragedy for them.

"'Waiter return the money,' I told the dentist. He did.

"That old couple left the court room arm in arm, happy. They did not leave until they had thanked me many times. That one case would prove the value of this court. The money involved was little, but it meant more to this old couple than great sums would to our wealthy citizens."

It has been noted that in 99 cases out of 100 there are no appeals from decisions of the small claim court.

BLUE MOUND

G. W. Allen went to Stonewall Saturday.
Mrs. Dolson and Ethel Dobson went to Ada Saturday.
Carl Underhill went to Hickory Saturday.
J. W. Cook, and son, Olin, Mr. Virgil Scarberry and J. D. and Melvin Underhill went to Ada Saturday.
Mr. Manson Corbett went to Pontotoc Saturday.
Joe Crisp went to Hickory Saturday.
Melvin Underhill spent Saturday night with Homer and Olin Cook.
Minnie Ruth Allen spent Sunday night with Mabel Hart.
Allie Dobson spent Sunday night with Ora Lee Ashley.

Maggie Crisp spent Sunday evening with Lon Bass.
Jasper Allen spent Sunday night with Homer and Olin Cook.

Grace Dobson, Estella Jones, Clara Hart, and Vallie Cantrell took dinner with Cora Huddleston Sunday.

M. and Mrs. W. H. Hart and daughter, Mabel took dinner with G. W. Allen and family Sunday.

Hester Ashley and Leta Cantrell took dinner with Ethel Dobson Sunday.

J. W. Wade and family of Jesse spent Sunday with J. W. Cook and family.

Bill Lottman and family took dinner with D. Jones and family Sunday.

Lovena Thurman took dinner with Vera Allen Sunday.

Those who attended school last month without being absent or tardy were: Clara Hart, Grace Jones, Mable Rogers, Estella Jones, and Lee Mitchell in upper grades; and Allie Dobson, Aaron and Archie Mitchell, Riley Bailey, Clea Beach, in primary room.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harris took dinner with C. H. Dobson and family Sunday.

Clara and Mabel Hart and Minnie Ruth Allen spent Friday night with Clea Beach.

WALNUT GROVE

We are all enjoying the nice sunny weather at present.

We had road working yesterday and certainly thank our fathers and school boys for the good roads which they built by our school house.

Misses Doris Anne and Susie Allen were visitors at our school yesterday.

We got our school garden broke, yesterday and are planning to do some gardening soon. We thank Henry Goodson and Odell Willoughby for breaking it.

Little lady Ruth Jones visited with little Alice Binton Sunday evening and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirby Sunday.

Little Mabel Kirby reports a visit by the stock and that he leaves her a little baby brother of whom she is very proud.

JUST LIKE A MAN

"My husband suffered for several years with stomach trouble. He often had colic attacks that put him to bed. But a man can't stand the pains that a woman can. He thought he was going to die and the doctors didn't seem to help him any. Like a drowning man grasping for a straw he tried May's Wonderful Remedy, which a nurse told us about, and now he is entirely well and eats anything. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Adv."

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SHOPPING CONDITIONS IN LIVERPOOL BRING GLOOM

LIVERPOOL—From the point of view of shipping, 1923, was about the worst year Liverpool can remember; there are, however, signs of improvement, for since January 1 there has been a greater demand for tonnage in many directions. This was a statement in an address made recently by Sir R. Burton Chadwick, president of the Liverpool Shipping Staff's Association.

Continuing his remarks the speaker said shipowners should endeavor to cheapen operating costs and increase efficiency rather than expect high freight and passenger rates. One of the greatest hindrances of the shipowner today was the extraordinary delay in turning round his ship, combined with the high port charges. Both those factors were not the result of high wages, but of poor work for that wage.

The question of carrying British cargoes in foreign ships was dealt with on the same occasion by J. H. Sharrock, a former director of one of the big steamship lines. He deplored the fact that some British shippers were sending cargoes in foreign ships and paying their freights to foreign shipowners, while many British seamen were walking the streets.

The Liverpool Underwriters Association also met in conference a few days ago, and the president, Samuel Barker, made a pessimistic report. The only cheerful feature in the cargo business, he said, was that there had been a considerable reduction in the amount of loss suffered through theft and pilferage. It was as yet impossible to form an accurate estimate of losses to marine underwriters through the Japanese earthquake.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

HAPPY LAND
Most farmers are busy getting ready to plant corn. Some have planted potatoes and made gardens. Scott Wilson and little son, Muriel were in Ada Saturday.
Mrs. Bertie Shannon has been quite sick for the last few days. Sherman and Ray Roberts were in Sneedman Saturday.
Mrs. Annie Wilson is on the sick list this week.
We have ciphering every Wednesday night at this place. And we would like for Sneedman to come and cipher with us some Wednesday night.
Mrs. Zara Daniels and Miss Lorene Daniels called on Mrs. Bertie Shannon Tuesday.
Thomas Shannon was in Ada Wednesday attending to some business.

Safe Fat Reduction

Reduce, reduce, is the slogan of all fat people. Get thin, be slim, is the cry of fashion and society. And the overfat, wringing their hands in mortification and helplessness; revolting at nauseating drugs, afraid of violent exercise, dreading the unwelcome and unsatisfying diet, until they hit upon the harmless Marmola Prescription and learn through it that they may safely reduce steadily and easily without one change in their mode of life, but harmlessly, secretly, and quickly reaching their ideal of figure, with a smoother skin, better appetite and health than they have ever known. And now comes Marmola Prescription Tablets from the same famous formula as the Marmola Prescription. It behooves you to learn the satisfactory, beneficial effects of this great, safe, fat reducer by giving to your druggist one dollar for a box, or sending a like amount to the Marmola Company, 4412 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich., with a request that they mail to you a box of Marmola Prescription Tablets. Adv.

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Bread, nice and fresh	2 loaves for	15c

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Good Swifts Breakfast Bacon	per pound	20c
Best Sausage in town	1 lb. 2 pounds for	25c
Boiling Beef	per pound	8c
T-Bone Steak	per pound	15c
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Round Steak	per pound	17c
Pure Lard or Compound	per pound	15c
Swift's Premium Ham	by the ham, per lb.	24c
Fresh Cream Cheese	per pound	32c
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City Briefs

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For painting call J. B. Pendleton, phone 318-J 2-10-1m*

Mrs. Claude Logsdon is reported ill with the flu.

Call meeting of U. C. T. Saturday night, March 8th. Every member is expected to be there.—Geo. W. Young, secretary-treasurer. 3-4-4t

For heavy hauling see Davis Bros. Phone 504. 2-21-1m*

Mrs. M. B. Malloy is reported ill with an attack of flu.

Attend the Presbyterian Bazaar, March 11 in Pontotoc Bldg., East Main. 3-7-3t

To dress well is merely knowing where to shop.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-7-1t

Bruce Ligon returned today from a business trip to Hickory.

SEYDOLD 75c CLEANERS 2-18-2m*

Three-pound special home killed beef roast 25c. Johns and Seagull Grocery and Market, 107 West 12, Phone 309. 3-7-1t

Yandell Lane of Holdenville is a business visitor in the city today.

His stock of beautiful silk underwear on sale at his reduction.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-7-1t

Call meeting of U. C. T. Saturday night, March 8th. Every member is expected to be there.—Geo. W. Young, secretary-treasurer. 3-4-4t

Seaman C. F. Mitchell, who has just been discharged from the navy, spent a few hours in Ada on business today.

Buy your kiddies clothes at the Presbyterian Bazaar March 11th. 3-7-3t

Yes, our new garments are on sale. Spring's newest modes arriving daily at sale prices.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-7-1t

Miss Mary Robertson, who has been attending East Central College, left today for Pontotoc where she will teach school.

All dues found on the streets with out tax paid will be killed after March 10th.—Wick Adams, Chief of Police. 3-7-2t

Saturday special, large assortment spring dresses \$9.75, \$12.75, \$16.75.—The Fashion, 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

Chas. Zorn and F. D. Hill made a trip to Allen today in the interest of the Shrine temple.

Hats cleaned and reblocked.—Miller Bros., Cleaners and Hatters. 3-6-1m*

Hemstitching and pleating done at Rose-Nell Dress shop, 207 East Main. 3-4-8t*

Luther J. Waggoner of Weleetka, who has been in Ada on business, returned home today.

Just received the Virginia Hart Aprons and House Dresses, \$2.25 to \$3.50.—The Fashion, 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

Fancy work, aprons, lingerie and good things to eat at Presbyterian Bazaar, Pontotoc Bldg., Tuesday March 11th. 3-7-3t

Wilbur P. Lee, assistant postmaster made a business trip to Ravin today.

Will break gardens. Phone 3511-F13. 2-22-1m

Get one of our Spring Coats at \$12.50.—The Fashion, 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

J. M. Duncan of the firm of Duncan brothers, jewelers, made a business trip to Weleetka today.

Cabbage Plants Ready by Monday, March 10. See me, 412 West 10th st. or R. J. Rains Grocery Co.—B. F. Stegall. 3-5-4t

Hello, old Top! a new car? No, an old car with a new top and I got it at O'Neal's Top Shop with Motor Sales Co., North Broadway. 3-6-1m*

Charlie Ray is suffering from an injured foot caused by a rock falling on it.

The genuine Hollywood Sandals and all the new styles in slippers at—The Fashion, 118 West Main. 3-7-1t

Call meeting of U. C. T. Saturday night, March 8th. Every member is expected to be there.—Geo. W. Young, secretary-treasurer. 3-4-4t

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Cudd left today for Paden, Okla., after receiving a telegram stating Mrs. Cudd's mother is quite ill.

Free crank case service. Sterling Motor Supply Co. 2-24-1m*

Exide Battery Sales and Service. Phone 1004. Ada Service & Pilling Station. 9-5-4t

A. W. Parker and Geo. L. Thompson made a business trip to Sulphur today.

Bronchitis—exhausts vitality
SCOTT'S EMULSION
restores strength

Strong on Onions.
One hundred thousand genuine Bermuda onions, grown from imported seed, very best. See me, 412 West 10th st. or R. J. Rains Grocery Co.—B. F. Stegall. 3-5-4t

SPECIAL!
30x34 Tires, \$8.00. Ada Service and Filling Station. 12-22-1m

Prof. German states that the next high school debate of the Ada team will take place March 14. On this occasion the opposing team will come from McLoud.

We drain and wash your crank case free. Three Square Deal Service and Filling Station. 10-3-4t

We will call for chickens. Ada Poultry and Egg Co. 1-11-1m

Misses Jewel Riley and Janie Radgwell of Wapanucka are attending the basketball tournament at the college and spending the week-end with Mrs. J. E. B. Franklin.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00. H. Claude Pitt, phone 171. 1-8-4t

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and Sales. Phone. 149. 8-6-1m

Supt. and Mrs. G. H. Booker of Mill Creek and Miss Beulah Booker of Woodville were in the city this afternoon en route to Purcell.

Headquarters for bicycle tires. Ada Service and Filling Station. 1-8-1m

We will call for chickens. Ada Poultry and Egg Co. 1-11-1m

Charlie Deaver, who has been ill for some time is reported as unimproved today.

Who sells Federal Tires? Three Square Deal! 11-12-1t

Mohawk Tires. Oliver & Nettles. 12-10-1m*

Mayor W. H. Fisher was called to Dallas today on account of the death of his brother-in-law, C. P. Alexander. He received word this morning that Mr. Alexander passed away last night. He expects to be back in the city Sunday.

McCurry Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 555. 116-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-1t

FOOD SALE at Coffman, Dobbitt & Sparks Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. By Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church. Lots of good things for your Sunday Dinner. 3-4-4t

MCPHERREON LEADS IN ADOPTING GAS TAX BILL

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Warning senators that unless they passed the gasoline tax bill they would be condemned "as the greatest bunch of four-flushers ever assembled in the state," C. E. McPherron of Durant, Thursday delivered the most vigorous speech of the special session.

The bill, as amended by the house, was adopted by a vote of 28 to 5.

"We have talked economy and only agreed on appropriation bills," McPherron said. "Let's forget the county highway commissioners who have been trying to dictate legislation. In the past we have cursed the highway department but never have given it a single bit of aid. If this bill fails Oklahoma will rightly say that this legislature is incompetent to enact highway legislation."

McPherron predicted that since the adjournment would be compulsory within five days, "in five days there will not be a quorum in either house or senate," he asserted. "The legislators are going home and I don't blame them."

FEDERAL INSPECTION OF GUARD TROOP STARTED

(By the Associated Press)
TULSA, Okla., March 6.—Federal inspection of Tulsa infantry troops of the Oklahoma National Guard was started here today by Capt. Eli A. Bonner of the regular army. The inspection will be completed March 10, Captain Bonner said.

Company "L" will be the first organization to undergo review. The other units, all of the 150th regiment, will follow, including the medical detachment.

A recruiting campaign is to be launched immediately after the inspection to obtain recruits to fill vacancies in the ranks.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

OBITUARY

J. W. FARRIS
J. W. Farris, age 77 years, died at his home three miles east of Ada Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment at Frisco cemetery.

Farris was one of the old timers, having come here in the early days of Pontotoc county.

MRS. G. M. LEDBETTER
Mrs. G. M. Ledbetter, age 63 years, died this morning at 7:30 o'clock at her home eight miles south of Ada.

The body was brought to the Criswell Mortuary where it will be held until a son can arrive from California.

The deceased is survived by a husband, five sons and three daughters. Two boys were absent when death occurred.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

BAKERS' OPINION ON MUSCLE SHOALS SALE OFFERED

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 7.—When consideration by the house of the Muscle Shoals question was resumed today Representative Hull, Republican Iowa, leading the fight against the Ford offer, made public a letter from Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war, which declared:

"It would be a calamity to have this great national asset come into private hands upon any terms now possible to secure."

TWO UNMASKED BANDITS ROB CAPITOL HILL BANK

OKLAHOMA CITY, Mar. 7.—Two unmasked bandits walked into the state bank of Capitol Hill, a suburb today, locked three officers and employees and two patrons in the vault and started out with \$1,500 in cash. No one saw the bandits enter the bank except the five persons mentioned and the alarm was not given until the prisoners freed themselves. No trace has been found of the robbers.

J. P. Howlett, president, one of those locked in the vault, said both outlaws were young.

MARRIAGE-DIVORCE RACE TAKES CLOSE BREAK IN MONTH

The marriage-divorce race threatened down to a slow race this month with five couples brought together via the marriage license route and four taking different roads after unsuccessful marital conquests.

Of recent date there has been many marriages of more or less secret arrangement, labeled in imposing letters—"don't publish," while many of the divorce petitions seek the same escape from the glare of the public.

NOTHING ALARMING FOUND IN CITY LAW ENFORCEMENT

The police department found everything serene on city streets last night and turned in their night sticks without an arrest to mar the clean record of the past three days, according to Mayor W. H. Fisher this morning.

Fisher stated that the number of arrests had decreased at remarkable rapidity during the past year.

GOOD EVENING!

The Sottee Customer says:
"A whole goods box wuz whittled up at Neighbors Ezra Hepplewaite's yesterday during an argument on the cause of the 'Civil War.'"

OUR DAILY REMINDER

BUNTE'S CANDY
just lots of it

THOMPSON'S DRUG STORE
PHONE 10

WALKER ADDRESSES RETAIL MERCHANTS

National Cash Register Representative Talks to Ada Retailers

The Retail Merchants Association Thursday evening enjoyed a address by A. W. Walker of the National Cash Register company. Speaking on the theme of "How to Make More Profits," Mr. Walker went into the matter of economy of sales and how to increase those sales.

He said that an open mind is a business man's best asset. Even the most successful can find new and better ways of doing things.

A different line of clerks is needed in a retail business from what was needed a few years ago. The attendance in high schools and colleges increased enormously in the last decade, and high school and college men and women are not content to list to the piffling sales talks that the ignorant clerk puts up.

The different ways that a merchant may increase his profits are by buying for less, increased prices, reduced expenses and increased stock-turn. It was on the last that the speaker put most emphasis. If a merchant can speed the times he turns his stock a year, he will make more money, as the overhead expenses do not increase in proportion.

J. E. Harris, president, also delivered a speech on the necessity of attending the meetings and the good that will come from the discussions.

SCHOELLKOPF AND WIFE SIGN SEPARATION PAPERS

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, March 7.—Hugo P. C. Schoellkopf of Buffalo and wife Irene who was robbed of \$300,000 worth of jewelry in this city a year ago, have signed a separation agreement, it was disclosed today in general sessions court. Mrs. Schoellkopf and Frank B. Cummings whose apartment she was leaving after a New Year party, were passengers yesterday on the Berengaria returning from abroad.

REFUND BILL TO PAY BACK ILLEGAL TAXES

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—Taxpayers of Oklahoma will have a chance to get back \$2,150,000 of illegal taxes which they paid under the 1-1-2 mill levy recently knocked out by the supreme court, the house having passed the refund bill Thursday afternoon.

The bill has already passed the senate and now goes to Governor Trapp for his action. The bill as passed knocks out the joker contained in a similar bill which passed the regular session of the Ninth legislature.

That bill appropriated the money from the surplus in the state treasurer's hands, and there was never any surplus. The bill en route to the governor appropriates "any money not otherwise appropriated."

Those who paid the tax can take their receipts or other evidence that they paid the tax to the county treasurers and get their money back, if the governor signs the bill.

A bank in Oak Park, Ill., has a room fitted to handle the business of juvenile patrons exclusively.

HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN?

If you have not made up your mind as to whom you will vote for, remember what was said during the war. "Go on, boys, when you return, anything you ask for is yours." Now is your chance. Everything being equal, I ask your support.

Otie F. Davidson,
Candidate for
Commissioner of Public
Works and Property.

Notice Shriners!

There will be a call meeting of the Pontotoc County Shrine Club Friday evening at the Chamber of Commerce room for the purpose of business. Every Noble is requested to attend. Hour 7:30. Bring your Fez.

TOM B. BLAKE, President

Shaw's
DEPARTMENT STORE

New Spring Suits

You've worn suits like that often—probably the reason for liking them isn't always clear—the main thing is that you do like them.

The reason—almost always—is because you look your best in them—have a certain feeling of well being and good grooming—are sure of your appearance.

One style, Young Men will like particularly—that is the cut-away two-button suit with wide round notched lapels—known as the new British style. This coat is matched with a set of wide straight trousers and a short pointed vest.

Of course, there is a complete line of styles for older and "older-young men" conservative dressers.

With two trousers—

24.50	29.50
34.50	39.50

Fashion Park and Stein-Bloch
—Feature an extremely smart young man's style in the English idea.
—The Stein-Bloch Saxon model for conservative men is the last word in fine tailoring—and fits like you will like for it too.

39.50 44.50 49.50

Common Sense Economy in New Spring Hats \$5

A description of them all is hardly practicable—but just come see for yourself, and you will say they are the best looking this store has ever shown.

Wood brown and pearl mixture, dull greys, tan and brown combinations, sand and dull combinations, blues, plain pearls with black bands in regular and feather-weights.

You would pay from \$5.50 to \$7 in most places for the same hats.

Shaw's
DEPARTMENT STORE

Just for Curiosity
If you are curious about the results of using Calumet—bake a cake and use some other baking powder, then use the same recipe and employ **CALUMET BAKING POWDER**
The Economy Baking Powder
Compare the texture of the two cakes—the way they look—the way they taste. The difference will make you join the millions who use Calumet daily.
Best By Test
Sales 2 1/2 times as much as that of any other brand
THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER



THE EVIL SHEPHERD

By
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"There was a moment's throbbing silence. Francis, notwithstanding his deep pity, was conscious of an overwhelming sensation of relief. She had never cared for Oliver Hilditch! She had never pretended to! He put the thought into words.

"You never cared for him, then?" "I tried to," she replied simply, "but I found it impossible. Within a week of our marriage I hated him."

Francis leaned back, his eyes half closed. In his ears was the sonorous roar of Piccadilly, the hoisting of motorcars, close at hand the rustling of a faint wind in the elm trees. It was a wonderful moment. The nightmare with which he had grappled so fiercely, which he had overthrown, but whose ghost still sometimes walked by his side, had lost its chief and most poignant terror. She had never tricked into the marriage. She had never cared or pretended to care. The primal horror of that tragedy which he had figured so often to himself, seemed to have departed with the thought. Its shadow must always remain, but in this his conscience would acquiesce in the pronouncement of his reason. It



"Let Us Talk About Ourselves," He Whispered.

was the hand of justice, not any human hand, which had slain Oliver Hilditch.

"What did your father say when he discovered the truth?" he asked.

"He did not know it until he came to England on the day that Oliver Hilditch was acquitted. My husband always pretended that he had a special mail bag going out to South America, so he took away all the letters I wrote to my father, and he took care that I received none except one or two which I knew now were forgeries. He had friends in South America himself who helped him—one a typist in my father's office, of whom I discovered afterwards, but that really doesn't matter. He was a wonderful master of deceit."

Francis suddenly took her hands. He had an overwhelming desire to escape from the miasma of those ugly days, with their train of attendant thoughts and speculations.

PLANNING CELEBRATION FOR SPAINWATER OPENING

TULSA, Okla., March 6.—Mayor H. F. Newbark and the city of Tulsa are planning on a big demonstration for the opening of the new \$6,800,000 Spainwaw water system, which probably will be in June, the mayor has stated.

The exact nature of the celebration has not been determined, but the mayor has promised to proclaim the day a holiday and possibly to stage a carnival.

City officials will hold a formal dedication ceremonial on the day the new water is turned into the city mains. Present plans call for the opening June 15.

Most of the work on the project has been completed and city engineers estimated that all connections from the Spainwaw river to the city reservoir would be made by March 15. From that date only minor details in finishing up the work will be necessary though this will take several months, the mayor said.

When the Spainwaw system goes into operation, Tulsa will have the first tap water suitable for drinking since 1922, and the new water system will sound the death knell of several large concerns here dealing in spring water.

Large sums have been expended by citizens here for bottled water. Practically every family in the city makes a five-gallon purchase every three days, city officials estimate, and at that rate the people are pay-

"Let us talk about ourselves," he whispered.

Presently they saw Sir Timothy's Rolls-Royce glide up to the front door below and Sir Timothy himself enter the house, followed by another man whose appearance was somehow familiar.

There was a knock at the door. Ledges made his diffident appearance. "I beg your pardon, sir," he began, addressing Francis. "Sir Timothy has been asking if you are still here. He would be very glad if you could spare him a moment in the library."

Francis rose at once to his feet. "I was just leaving," he said. "I will look in at the library and see Sir Timothy on my way out."

Sir Timothy was standing upon the hearthrug of the very wonderful apartment which he called his library.

"You asked for me, Sir Timothy," Francis said.

Sir Timothy smiled. "I was fortunate to find that you had not left," he answered. "I want you to be present at this forthcoming interview. You are to a certain extent in the game. I thought it might amuse you."

Francis for the first time was aware that his host was not alone. The room, with its odd splashes of light, was full of shadows, and he saw now that in an easy-chair a little distance away from Sir Timothy, a girl was seated. Behind her, still standing, with his hat in his hand, was a man. Francis recognized them both with surprise.

"Miss Hyslop!" he exclaimed. "She nodded a little defiantly. Sir Timothy smiled.

"Ah!" he said. "You know the young lady, without a doubt. Mr. Shopland, your conductor in various works of philanthropy, you recognize, of course? I do not mind confessing to you, Ledsam, that I am very much afraid of Mr. Shopland. I am not at all sure that he has not a warrant for my arrest in his pocket."

The detective came a little further into the light. He was attired in an ill-fitting dinner suit, a soft-fronted shirt of unpleasant design, a collar of the wrong shape, and a badly arranged tie. He seemed, nevertheless, very pleased with himself.

"I came on here, Mr. Ledsam, at Sir Timothy's desire," he said. "I should like you to understand," he added, with a covert glance of warning, "that I have been devoting every effort, during the last few days, to the discovery of your friend's brother, Mr. Reginald Wilmore."

"I am very glad to hear it," Francis replied shortly. "The boy's brother is one of my greatest friends."

"I have come to the conclusion," the detective pronounced, "that the young man has been abducted, and is being detained at The Wallied House against his will for some illegal purpose."

"In other respects," Sir Timothy said, stretching out his hand toward a cedar-wood box of cigarettes and selecting one, "this man seems quite sane. I have watched him very closely on the way here, but I could see no signs of mental aberration. I do not think, at any rate, that he is dangerous."

"Sir Timothy," Shopland explained, with some anger in his tone, "declines to take me seriously. I can of course apply for a search warrant, as I shall do, but it occurred to me to be one of those cases which could be better dealt with, up to a certain point, without recourse to the extremities of the law."

Sir Timothy, who had lit his cigarette, presented a wholly undisturbed front.

"What I cannot quite understand," he said, "is the exact meaning of that word 'abduction.' Why should I be suspected of forcibly removing a harmless and wealthy young man from his regular avocation, and as you term it, abducting him, which I presume means keeping him bound and gagged and imprisoned? I do not eat young men. I do not even care for the society of young men. I am not naturally a gregarious person, but I think I would go so far," he added, with a bow toward Miss Hyslop, "as to say that I prefer the society of young women. Satisfy my curiosity, therefore, I beg of you. For what reason do you suppose that I have been concerned in the disappearance of this Mr. Reginald Wilmore?"

Francis opened his lips, but Shopland, with a warning glance, intervened.

"I work sometimes as a private person, sir," he said, "but it is not to be forgotten that I am an officer of the law. It is not for us to state motives or even to offer explanations for our behavior. I have watched your house at Hatch End, Sir Timothy, and I have come to the conclusion that unless you are willing to discuss this matter with me in a different spirit, I am justified in asking the magistrates for a search warrant."

Sir Timothy sighed.

"Mr. Ledsam," he said, "I think, after all, that yours is the most interesting end of this espionage business. It is you who search for motives, is it not, and pass them on to our more automatic friend, who does the rest. May I ask, have you supplied the motive in the present case?"

"I have failed to discover any motive at all for Reginald Wilmore's disappearance," Francis admitted, "nor have I at any time been able to connect you with it. Mr. Shopland's efforts, however, although he has not seen well to take me into his entire confidence, have my warmest approval and sympathy. Although I have accepted your very generous hospitality, Sir Timothy, I think there has been no misunderstanding between us on this matter."

"Most correct," Sir Timothy murmured. "The trouble seems to be, no

ling twice as much for drinking water than they will when Spainwaw water becomes obtainable. These figures do not include the present cost

of city water used by the population for purposes other than drinking and cooking, the authorities said,

as far as I am concerned, that no one will tell me exactly of what I am suspected? I am to give Mr. Shopland the run of my house, or he will make his appearance in the magistrate's court and the evening papers will have placards with marvelous headlines at my expense. How will it run, Mr. Shopland—

"MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF A YOUNG GENTLEMAN. MILLIONAIRE'S HOUSE TO BE SEARCHED."

"We do not necessarily acquiesce in the press with our procedure," Shopland rejoined.

"Nevertheless," Sir Timothy continued, "I have known awkward consequences arise from a search warrant too rashly applied for or granted. However, we are scarcely being polite. So far, Miss Hyslop has had very little to say."

The young lady was not altogether at her ease.

"I have had very little to say," she repeated, "because I did not expect an audience."

Sir Timothy drew a letter from his pocket, opened it and adjusted his eyeglasses.

"Here we are," he said. "After leaving my dinner-party tonight, I called at the club and found this note. Quite an inviting little affair, you see—your lady's writing, faint but very delicate perfume, excellent stationery, Milan Court—the home of adventures."

Dear Sir Timothy: Although I am not known to you personally, there is a certain matter concerning which information has come into my possession, which I should like to discuss with you. Will you call and see me as soon as possible?

Sincerely yours,
DANIS HYSLOP.

"On receipt of this note," Sir Timothy continued, folding it up, "I telephoned to the young lady, and as I was fortunate enough to find her at home I asked her to come here. I then took the liberty of introducing myself to Mr. Shopland, whose interest in my evening has been unwavering, and whose uninvited company I have been compelled to bear with, and suggested that, as I was on my way back to Curzon street, he had better come in and have a drink and tell me what it was all about. I arranged that he should find Miss Hyslop here, and for a person of observation, which I flatter myself to be, it was easy to discover the interesting fact that Mr. Shopland and Miss Daisy Hyslop were not strangers. Now tell me, young lady," Sir Timothy went on, "you see, I have placed myself entirely in your hands. Never mind the presence of these two gentlemen. Tell me exactly what you want to say to me?"

"The matter is of no great importance," Miss Hyslop declared. "In any case I should not discuss it before these two gentlemen."

"Don't go for a moment, please," Sir Timothy begged, as she showed signs of departure. "Listen, I want to make a suggestion to you. There is an impression abroad that I was interested in the two young men, Victor Biddle and Fairfax, and that I knew something of their quarrel. You were an intimate friend of young Biddle's and presumably in his confidence? It occurs to me, therefore, that Mr. Shopland might very well have visited you in search of information, linking me up with that unfortunate affair. Hence your little note to me."

Miss Hyslop rose to her feet. She had the appearance of being very angry indeed.

"Do you mean to insinuate—" she began.

"Madam, I insinuate nothing," Sir Timothy interrupted sternly. "I only desire to suggest this. You are a young lady whose manner of living, I gather, is to a certain extent precarious. It must have seemed to you a likelier source of profit to withhold any information you might have to give at the solicitation of a rich man, than to give it free gratis and for nothing to a detective. Now am I right?"

Miss Hyslop turned towards the door. She had the air of a person who had been entirely misunderstood.

"I wrote you out of kindness, Sir Timothy," she said in an aggrieved manner. "I shall have nothing more to say on the matter—to you, at any rate."

Sir Timothy sighed.

"You see," he said, turning to the others, "I have lost my chance of conciliating a witness. My check-book remains locked up and she has gone over to your side."

She turned around suddenly.

"You know that you made Bobby Fairfax kill Victor!" she almost shouted.

Sir Timothy smiled in triumph.

"My dear young lady," he begged, "let us now be friends again. I desired to know your trump card. For that reason I fear that I have been a little brutal. Not please don't hurry away. You have about your belt. Already Mr. Shopland is turning the thing over in his mind. Was I looking outside that night, Mr. Shopland, to guide that young man's flabby arm? He scarcely seemed man enough for murder, did he, when he sat quaking on that stool in Soto's bar while Mr. Ledsam tortured him? I beg you again not to hurry, Miss Hyslop. At any rate wait while my servants fetch you a taxi. It was clouding over when I came in. We may even have a thunderstorm."

"I want to get out of this house," Daisy Hyslop declared. "I think you are all horrible. Mr. Ledsam did behave like a gentleman when he came to see me, and Mr. Shopland asked questions civilly. But you—" she added, turning round to Sir Timothy,

"Hush, my dear," he interrupted, holding out his hand. "Don't abuse me. I am not angry with you—not in the least—and I am going to prove it. I shall oppose any search warrant which you might apply for, Mr. Shopland, and I think I can oppose it with success. But I invite you two, Miss Hyslop and Mr. Ledsam, to my party on Thursday night. Once under my roof you shall have carte blanche. You can wander where you please, knock on the walls for secret hiding places, stamp upon the floor for oulbettes. Upstairs or down, the cellars and the lofts, the grounds and the park, the whole of my domain is for you from midnight on Thursday until four o'clock. What do you say, Mr. Shopland? Does my offer satisfy you?"

The detective hesitated.

"I should prefer an invitation for myself," he declared bluntly.

Sir Timothy shook his head.

"Alas, my dear Mr. Shopland," he regretted, "that is impossible! If I had only myself to consider I would not hesitate. Personally I like you. You amuse me more than anyone I have met for a long time. But unfortunately I have my guests to consider! You must be satisfied with Mr. Ledsam's report."

Shopland stroked his stubbly mustache. It was obvious that he was not in the least disconcerted.

"There are three days between now and then," he reflected.

"During those three days, of course," Sir Timothy said dryly, "I shall do my best to obliterate all traces of my various crimes. Still, you are a clever detective, and you can give Mr. Ledsam a few hints. Take my advice. You won't get that search warrant, and if you apply for it none of you will be at my party."

"I accept," Shopland decided.

Sir Timothy crossed the room, unlocked the drawer of a magnificent writing-table, and from a little packet drew out two cards of invitation. They were of small size but thick, and the color was a brilliant scarlet. On one he wrote the name of Francis, the other he filled in for Miss Hyslop.

"Miss Daisy Hyslop," he said, "shall we drink a glass of wine together on Thursday evening, and will you decide that, although, perhaps, I am not a very satisfactory correspondent, I can at least be an amiable host?"

The girl's eyes glistened. She knew very well that the possession of that card meant that for the next few days she would be the envy of every one of her acquaintances.

"Thank you, Sir Timothy," she replied eagerly. "You have quite misunderstood me, but I should like to come to your party."

Sir Timothy handed over the cards. He rang for a servant and bowed the others out. Francis he detained for a moment.

"Our little duel, my friend, marches," he said. "After Thursday night we will speak again of this matter concerning Margaret. You will know then what you have to face."

Margaret herself opened the door and looked in.

"What have those people been doing here?" she asked. "What is happening?"

Her father unlocked his drawer once more and drew out another of the red cards.

"Margaret," he said, "Ledsam here has accepted my invitation for Thursday night. You have never, up till now, honored me, nor have I ever asked you. I suggest that for the first part of the entertainment you give me the pleasure of your company."

"For the first part?"

"For the first part only," he repeated, as he wrote her name upon the card.

"What about Francis?" she asked. "Is he to stay all the time?"

Sir Timothy smiled. He looked up his drawer and slipped the key into his pocket.

"Ledsam and I," he said, "have promised one another a more complete mutual understanding on Thursday night. I may not be able to part with him quite so soon."

(Continued Tomorrow)

To Improve German Cooking.

HEIDELBERG.—University professors have interested themselves in a movement to improve the German cooking. Too much attention is paid to quantity by the German cooks, it is contended, and not enough to quality. German cooking in the sixteenth century equally that of any other country, say the domestic science experts, but during the Thirty Years' war the culinary art lost prestige and flavor which have never been regained.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

Coughs that hang on—

Break them now before they lead to more serious trouble. Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has a pleasant taste. All druggists.

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RAILROAD-MADE TOWN IS ENDED WHEN THEY MOVE

(By the Associated Press)

RENO, Nev., March 7.—A railroad that "made" the town of Amdelee, Lassen county, California, near the Nevada line, has "killed" it.

Officially its demise was announced for the latter part of February, when its post office was ordered moved to Wendle, five miles away. For a decade after the Nevada, California and Oregon railway laid its tracks from Reno to Amdelee, the town thrived as a distributing point for a score of small villages without rail connections.

Ranchers for 100 miles around drove their stock to Amdelee for shipment east and west. Buyers from the stockyard centers of the country gathered there. A big hotel was built. Huge feeding corrals and enormous barns sprang up at the rail terminal.

The first blow came to Amdelee when the N. C. and O. extended its lines north through Alturas, Calif., to Lakeview, Ore. A few years later the Western Pacific railway sliced off its feeder towns to the west. In 1919 the Southern Pacific passed it 1500 miles to the east.

Amdelee made by a railroad, was narrowed in a wedge of railroads. The N. C. and O. tore up its tracks in Amdelee's front yard. The population dwindled to a dozen persons. The post office no longer paid and the post office department struck it from the rolls.

THEATRE MAN'S PROMISE INVOLVES HIM IN SUIT

(By the Associated Press)

BUDAPEST.—The Hungarian courts have been asked to pass upon a breach of promise case involving a costly fur coat, the property of Miss Jeanne Marnae, an actress. The coat was stolen while she was appearing at a Budapest theatre and she held the theatre director responsible because he had neglected to safe guard her effects while she was on the stage.

A few days later the police notified the actress that the coat had

been recovered. Miss Marnae was elated. So was the theatre director. The latter assured the actress, she asserts, that he had really planned to buy her another coat just as good as the one stolen.

It developed that the police were mistaken about the coat. It wasn't the one stolen from the actress. The theatre director then was anything but elated. He refused to buy Miss Marnae another "just as good coat" or any coat at all, and she filed suit to compel him to keep his promise and reimburse her for her lost coat.

Festival Singers Not Disclosed

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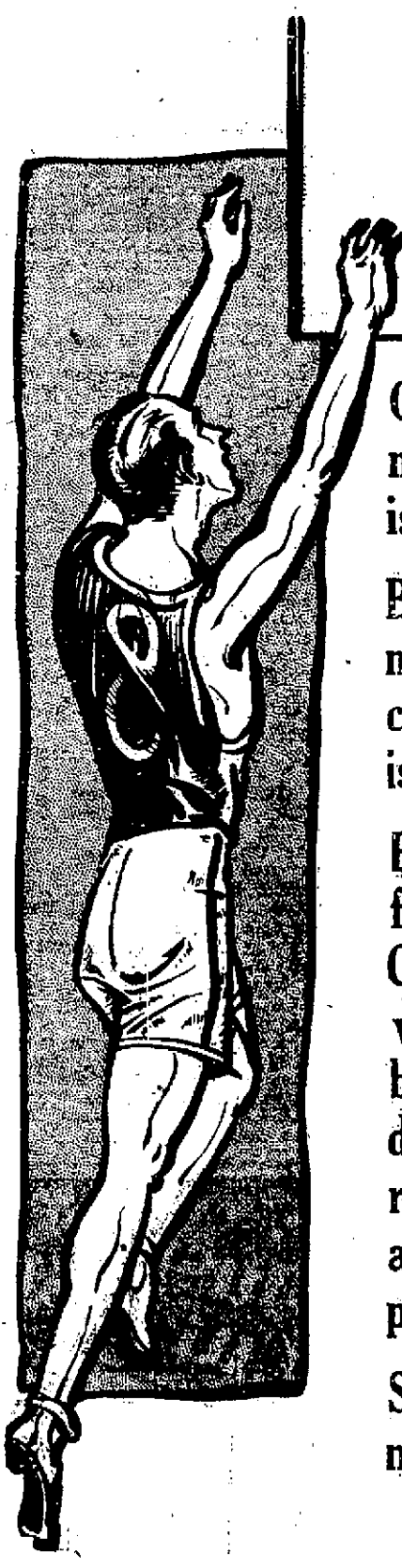
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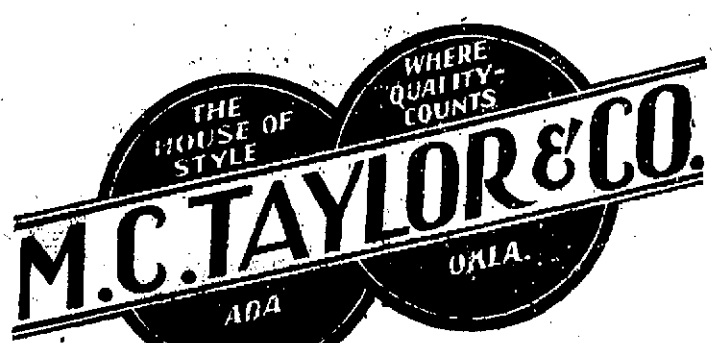
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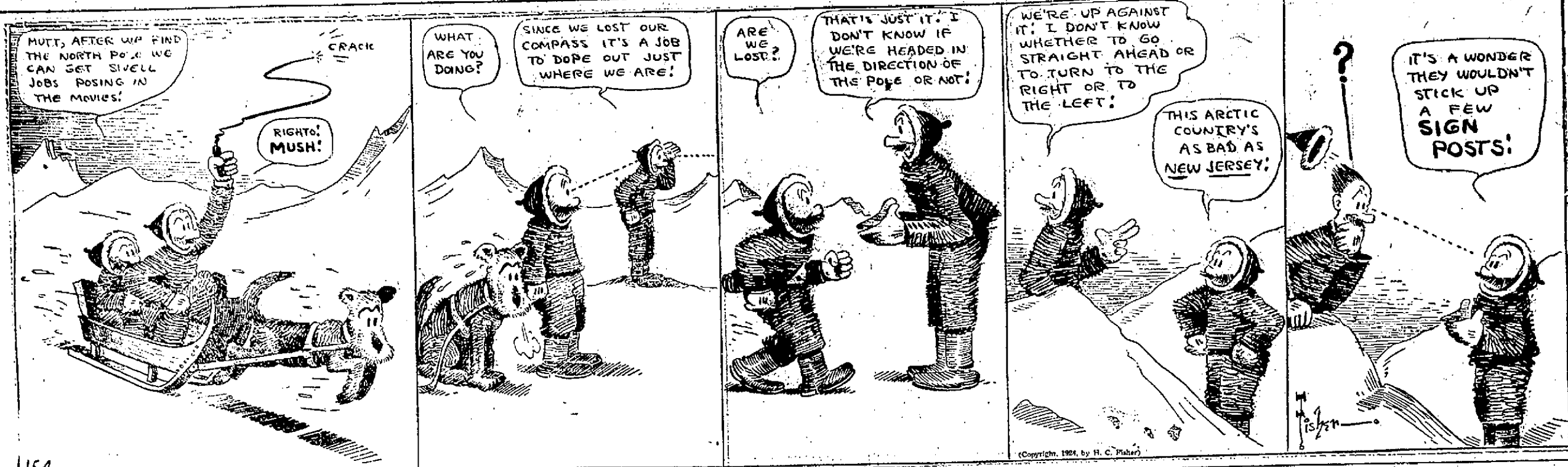
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FOR RENT—Front room, bath adjoining. Less than two blocks from Harris hotel. Mrs. Norrell, 219 East 12th. Phone 998. 3-7-31*	Notice is also hereby given that the bi-annual general election of said officers of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, will be held on the 1st day of April, 1924.
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Marsh Ragland's folks are all able to be up again, after all having the measles.

Alta Hinkle spent Sunday with Zouba Jervis.

Misses Hubel Miller, Marie Shipley, and Zora Ragland spent Sunday with Lillian and Verna Wise.

Misses Velma and Virgie Miller, Leona and Ethel James spent Sunday with Gladys Bell.

Mr. Bell who has been sick for quite a while, is very sick at this writing.

Miss Omie Ledford of Summers Chapel is still with her aunt, Mrs. Will Jervis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonie Wise motored to Ada, Sunday to have their little girl's eyes treated.

Marie Shipley was the guest of Virgie Miller was the guest of Ethel Nix Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Shipley was the guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pennington of Parish Chapel Friday and Saturday night.

Audie Jones of Stratford, is visiting her brother, Oren Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. James were visitors in Galey community Sunday.

Can Stonecipher was the guest of the Wise home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brady were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bundy of Stratford.

A. C. Nix and family spent Sunday with his father, Marsh Ragland.

A bunch of little girls spent Sunday with Jessie and Hazel Canby.

Audie Shipley spent Sunday with Doll Cosby.

Mrs. Ragland is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Jones spent Saturday night with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ballard of Ada.

Aza Stonecipher is on the sick list this week.

Vera Cranford was the guest of Hazel Miller Monday night.

Mrs. Payne Sunday evening. Blue Eyed Cupie.

LATTA.

Vendetta Smith gave a leap-year party Friday evening.

The vocational agriculture class put up some swings and horizontal bars during their show practice period last week.

The epidemic of measles is abating somewhat, although several new cases have developed recently.

Toby's family are the latest victims.

The young peoples' meeting was held Sunday afternoon so as to permit those who desired to do so, to attend the revivals in the city.

The primary rooms have been in questionably laboring at making flower beds along side their room. As a result two nice beds have been planted.

Mrs. Mundy and Rowell Kennon spent Sunday in Sherman, Texas.

Sam Hill is recovering from a severe attack of the flu.

Mr. Miller, scout master, from Ada gave the patrol of scouts some valuable instruction Tuesday afternoon.

Farmers are more than busy preparing the ground for spring crops.

The domestic science class have just finished a months serving of hot lunches to the pupils and faculty. Many regrets that other work makes it impossible for them to keep up this service.

Robert Irwin of Ada spent Sunday with Dale Fishbeck.

FRISCO.

Farmers are very busy in the fields now and their ground is being put in good condition for their crops as rapidly as possible.

Mrs. W. W. Strickland and son, James, spent the week-end in Tulsa with her sister, Mrs. R. T. Blackburn.

Mrs. G. H. Truax was shopping in Ada last Thursday.

Mrs. Ann Calhoun of Francis has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sam Andrews.

W. F. Morris and family spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. T. Morris at Byrd's Mill.

Miss Jewel Thomas of Ada spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. B. D. Thomas.

Duane Thomas and family moved to Stonehill last week.

O. M. Sallee was a business visitor to Ada last Thursday.

Mrs. Selma Stegall of Atoka is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson.

Judge Winn and Mrs. C. Cochran of Ada were visitors in the home of W. H. Gray and wife, Sunday afternoon.

The drillers are setting up their rigs on the Rock place just north of Frisco and work will be begun at once.

E. N. Massey has been on the sick list for some time but is improving slowly.

Death again entered our midst last week and claimed another of our oldest citizens, R. W. Gilstrap, sr. He had been failing in health for the past two years and on Feb. 19th, he expressed a desire to be carried to the Breco hospital in Ada where he would be under the constant care of his physician, but he kept gradually growing worse.

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No. 14—Lv. Daily 5:15 a. m.

No. 16—Lv. Daily 4:30 p. m.

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East

No. 446—Ar. Daily 11:40 a. m. (Stops Here)

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No. 445—Lv. Daily 12:20 p. m.

FRISCO

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No. 510—Lv. Daily 12:30 p. m.

No. 512—Lv. Daily 5:15 p. m.

No. 118—Lv. Daily 3:33 a. m.

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No. 117—Lv. Daily 12:46 a. m.

No. 511—Lv. Daily 12:30 p. m.

No. 507—Ar. Daily 7:35 p. m.

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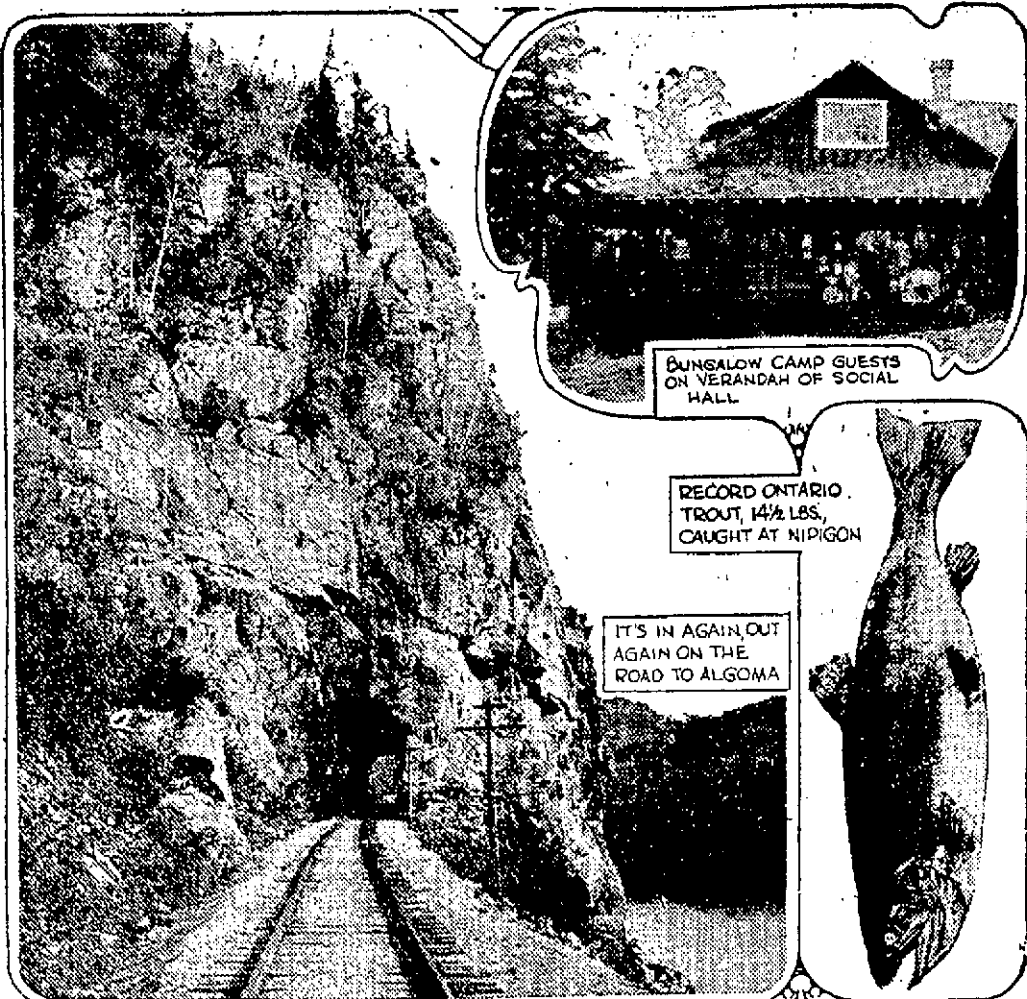
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State Grief

Owen Opens Bars to Aspiring Hordes For Senatorship

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 7.—With the announcement of Senator Robert L. Owen that he would not be a candidate for the democratic nomination for the United States senate this year the bars were let down to every ambitious person who believed he had enough following to make him a candidate for Owen's place in the senate.

At the present there are 12 names mentioned for the nomination and others are expected to file before the democratic convention in May. The first test of the personal strength will come when the Farmer-Labor Reconstruction league meets in El Reno, March 17. The league will, without doubt, endorse some candidate for the nomination, political observers say.

The league will attempt to gain control of the democratic convention as they did two years ago when J. C. Walton was the nominee for the governorship, capitol followers of politics predict. They point out that the man who receives the league support will go into the democratic convention a strong contender for the nomination.

Of the candidates it is believed Paul Nesbitt, former commissioner of highways, has the strongest claim on the league, but others are said to have considerable following in the league ranks. Should J. C. Walton, deposed governor, decide to enter the race his name will arouse a storm in the El Reno meeting, it is believed, as the league has several grudges against the former governor, political students say.

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is pushing legislation for a run-off primary.

A piece of repartee between Charles W. Miller, Hughes county, and W. W. Ferrell, Tulsa county, during a recent debate in the Oklahoma house of representatives, evoked laughter from the press table but failed to be noticed by the house members and the gallery. Miller was in the speaker's chair and was using every method he could to speed up legislation. He disregarded minor objections and points of order. In the argument on the gasoline tax bill a member sought to change the wording of an amendment which had been adopted. The wording would not affect the amendment. When Miller asked if there was any objection to the change Ferrell objected, but Miller ruled there was no objection, stating: "The chair hears no objections." "I object," Ferrell shouted.

Turning toward the Tulsa representative, the speaker said again: "The chair hears no objection." "Then the chair must be deaf," Ferrell countered before taking his seat.

Cyrus Avery became state commissioner of highways just in time to receive the complaints of motorists, who, failing to pay their 1924 tax, and whose cars were seized by the enforcement officers. Paul Nesbitt retired on March 1, as the time limit for payment expired. Now Avery is listening to excuses of car

owners who failed to procure the plates.

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Hooded Knights Visit Negro Church at Okmulgee; Fee for Pastor

OKMULGEE.—That the Ku Klux Klan stands behind the efforts of good neighbors to erase law violations among members of their race was the text of a talk made by Klan leader in a visit of the organization to the First Side Negro Baptist church last night.

Between 200 and 400 negroes were in the church audience when about 200 robed and hooded Klansmen entered and gave the pastor, Rev. J. A. Anderson, \$50 to be used on the new Baptist church building.

"The Ku Klux Klan is the best friend that the law-abiding negro possesses," the minister said the speaker told the congregation.

"The Klan especially stands out against white men corrupting the negroes and employing negro boys to sell whisky and solicit for women."

The speaker further told the congregation, according to the pastor, that the organization stood for justice for all men of all races and creeds in the courts. The work of the evangelist, J. W. Perkins of Muskogee, and the other negro ministers in the city was praised by the speaker.

"Although all people that are opposed to the Klan are not crooks, you can always remember that all crooks are opposed to the Klan," the speaker further said.

The Klansmen are said to have left their hall about 9:20 o'clock and marched east on Sixth street and thence north to the church.

After leaving the church each member of the order lighted small red tapers, which burned until they reached the hall.

The procession was preceded by a flag and fiery cross, which were carried into the church.

The pastor said today he had been told a few days ago that the Klansmen would make the visit and announced it eight before last at the church services.

He acknowledged that there might not have been many windows remaining in the building had the visit been unannounced.

The negroes and Klansmen joined in singing "America" after the entrance of the white men. The negroes sang, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," as their visitors departed.

Formosan Mission to Study Philippine Educational Methods

MANILA.—An educational mission appointed by the government of Formosa to study educational methods and school systems in the Far East expects to spend several weeks in the Philippine Islands. The mission, headed by M. Ono, inspector of education for the Formosa government, is composed of Japanese professors and instructors.

The mission has made visits to several places in China.

Spring Has no Charm for Him

ARDMORE.—He was very black and he appeared to be very, very unhappy. He was recognized by the license clerk in the court office as one who had applied for a permit to wed but a short time before, and the cause of his present sad demeanor was not appreciable until he spoke, then all was made clear.

"Is this place where you all get your voice," he inquired.

When informed that he had found the proper place to file divorce proceedings he shocked Mrs. Fay Wallace, deputy in charge by saying:

"I want one, dem cooncunents, how much is dey?" he concluded at the same time drawing a pocket handful of change from his pocket. After much explanation the fact was impressed that he must first secure the service of an attorney before he could become legally separated from what on the surface was cause of all his woe, and he departed after obtaining directions to the nearest office of a disciple of Blackstone.

Local Theater Manager Composes Poem to Lloyd.

Very few people have suspected it—but Manager Cobb of the American theatre in this city is blossoming out as a poet of the first water and has dedicated his first bit of verse to Harold Lloyd. Manager Cobb became inspired when he viewed a private screening of the new Harold Lloyd comedy "Dr. Jack" released by Pathe, which will be shown at his theatre Monday. Here is the poem:

SOME DOCTOR!!!
If you're sick of this life,
With its toll and its strife,
Remember that joy will come back;
Just watch for the day
When the papers will say:
He's arrived here at last—DR. JACK.

There are doctors in town,
Yes, and some of renown,
And others that you class as quack;
But the one full of pep,
And the one with a rep
Is the one you should see—DR. JACK.

If you walk with a crutch
And it hurts very much,
To hike to the corner and back,
You'll laugh and you'll roar
And won't limp any more,
As soon as you see—DR. JACK.

If your boy, as a rule,
Wants to stay home from school,
And you think he deserves a good
whack,
Just take it from me,
You will learn when you see
ow-let's cured by our friend—DR. JACK.

You'll laugh till you cry,
And you'll wonder why
That some folks a smile never crack
If you know such a man,
It would be a good plan
To tell him, to see—DR. JACK.

Average number of birds to the acre in the country east of the great plains and north of Maryland is two.

LONDON'S EASY WAY TO REDUCE COST THEATER TICKET

(By the Associated Press)
LONDON.—The gallery gods of London's theatres know how to get what they want, and also how to get rid of what they dislike. The one they howl for, the other they "boo," and they seldom stop either until they are satisfied.

The gallery audience that witnessed recently the first performance of Sir Gerald Du Maurier in "Not in Our Stars," took it into their heads that two shillings a seat was too much money to pay for the gallery. So when Sir Gerald came out to make a curtain speech they started "booming," and then a deep voice shouted, "What about a shilling gallery? It can't hurt you two bob."

"If you want a shilling gallery," Sir Gerald shouted back, "You shall have one from now onward."

The next night tickets for the gallery were only a shilling.

Agree to Report Bonus.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Agreement to report a soldiers bonus bill was voted 16 to 3 today by the house ways and means committee.

LEE'S EGG MAKER to make your hens lay at Coffman, Bobbitt & Sparks Co.

How to build up your Weight

TO be under weight often proves a low fighting-power in the body. It often means you are minus nerve-power, minus red-cells in your blood, minus health, minus vitality.

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That's why S.S.S., since 1826, has meant to thousands of underweight men and women, a plus in their strength. Your body fills to the point of power, your flesh becomes firmer, the age lines that come from thinness disappear. You look younger, firmer, happier, and you feel it, too, all over your body. More red-blood-cells! S.S.S. will build them.

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